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CAN ELECTION BE BEFORE JAN. 1917?

QUESTION OF STATE PRIMARY IN AUGUST NEW PROBLEM.

LAWYERS SAY DATE IN FEB. IMPRUDENT

February 3 the Only Day and Council Would Have to Meet Morning of Jan. 5 to Publish Notices.

Is it possible that the local option election will have to be delayed until more than a year from next month in order to satisfy the demands of the law? Some of the indications are that it will.

An informal meeting of lawyers was held yesterday in the office of J. H. Sayler and W. H. Crawford. Ellis G. Cook and F. P. Robinson were in the party. A discussion of the legal phases of the liquor question arose and all of the law on the problem was carefully consulted.

The joint opinion of the men was that the election should go over until June, and Mayor U. S. Wright was so informed. The belief of the lawyers was that the legal requirements were so close for the February date that it would be a matter of prudence not to call the election at that date for fear of legal entanglements, requiring that the election would have to be fought out in the courts later.

The city attorney, W. H. Crawford, and the other lawyers explain the difficulty thus: The last liquor election was held in Maryville January 5, 1912. The time in which the city council is not permitted to call another local option election expires at midnight on January 4, 1916.

If the city council should meet in a special or adjourned session on January 5, a notice of election could be placed in the weekly papers of the next day, Thursday, January 6. To meet the requirement of four consecutive weeks, which has been held by the courts to mean publishing in five consecutive weekly issues, the last notice would be published on Thursday, February 3. This is too late to permit an election sixty days before the city election.

February 3 Only Date.

February 4 is too late, as another ruling of the courts is that the law means that sixty days must intervene between a liquor election day and a general election day. Therefore February 4 is the last chance. But it would not be legal for the election to be held on the last day on which the legal notice in the papers appear.

The lawyers could see but one chance for a February date. That would be to hold a special or adjourned meeting of the city council in the morning or at noon of January 5 and get the election notice in the daily papers of that day. The required four consecutive weeks would then expire on February 2.

But most of the lawyers hold that the notice would have to be published every day of the twenty-eight days if published in a town where weeklies are also published, because the regular and accustomed place for legal notices is in a weekly paper. By that means the legal requirements could be met and the election held on February 3. But there would be no leeway on either side.

Lawyers say that the dates make a most peculiar instance. Just exactly the required twenty-eight days intervene from the date when another liquor election can be called in Maryville to February 3, and just exactly the required sixty days intervene from February 3 to the date of the city election, April 4. Only the fact that 1916 is leap year and February has twenty-nine days makes it possible at all.

Peery Springs a New Problem.

So many "dry" leaders have favored letting the election go over until after the April election and having a summer day for the voting. But M. A. Peery, member of the board of aldermen, has raised another question which would throw the local option election over to January, 1917.

"Is the state primary election in August an election within the meaning of the local option law, which states that "no local option election shall be held within sixty days of any municipal or state election?" That is the problem which the lawyers are tackling today.

Although no definite case has been found, the impression of most of the lawyers is that the courts have held the primary to be such a general state election. If this is true, there is no date in June which is sixty days from April 4 and August 1.

The primary next year will be on the first day of August, as the law reads "on the first Tuesday in August," not on the first Tuesday after the first Monday, as is the case with the general election. No liquor election date could be found between the August primary and the November election, and the local option election in Maryville would have to wait until sixty days after the general election, or early in January, 1917.

League Prefers February.

Isn't that a situation for lawyers to have a good time over? It seems that the mass meeting of temperance people which is to be called to vote upon the date to call the election will have to rely on the judgment of the lawyers of the city.

It is understood that the Missouri Anti-Saloon League prefers the February date, as they expect to have a campaign on to choose dry men in the primary for the state legislature. If congress submits the national prohibition amendment to the states, the fight will be made for men pledged to vote for that. If not, a legislature will be sought who will either pass a prohibition law for Missouri or call a statewide election on a special day.

LONG LIST OF PLAYERS

"Lovey Mine," Home-Talent Film Is Humorous Gem From Opera, "The Three Twins."

"Lovey Mine," the home talent film which will be shown at the Fern theater the first three days of next week, is the gem from the opera "The Three Twins." The photography is fine and those who have seen it say that F. R. Marcell will soon be getting a job with the World Film Corporation or some big company.

James Ells, manager of the theater and director of the film, which is all home talent, says that it is some funny reel in spots, and at other times the Maryville folks show real histronic ability. All of the scenes have local settings. The persons taking part in the film are:

Ethel Wells, Blanche Shipps, Amy Clark, Anna Parle, Mrs. Bone, Dr. Bone, Maude Helpley, Mary Stundon, Blanche Gray, Martha Helpley, Virginia Lawson, Robert Burris, Virginia B. Dean, Marie Cloud, Gladys Yeaman, Mildred Adams, Ada Clayton, Ralph Aley, John Mutz, Bud Rhodes, George Palfreyman, Fred Lewis, Harvey McClary, Dorothy McDonald, Ralph Yehle, Clarence Cook, Perry Culver, Bryon Price, William Stilweli, Mary D. Malotte, Robert Muel Godsey, Baby White, Ed William Dietz, Elwyn Broyles, Leslie Woodard, Ferol Bishop, Lorene Bickford.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD.

Mrs. H. F. Whitney Buried in Oak Hill Cemetery.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. H. F. Whitney were held this afternoon at the family residence, 202 South Prairie street, conducted by the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor of the First Methodist church.

The pall bearers were: W. A. Miller, Walton Frank, G. B. Holmes, James Montgomery and Ed Wolfert.

The body was buried in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mrs. F. M. Compton departed Friday morning for Lawrence, Kan., where she will be the guests of her mother, Mrs. Docia Rogan.

To-Night **Fern Theatre** **5 and 10c**

ANN MURDOCK in

"A Royal Family", in five acts

This is not costume play, but a modern societo drama. THE SPIRIT OF THE VIOLIN, 2 acts. Saturday—The College Orphan, Six Acts

"Lovey Mine"

GEM FROM THE OPERA "THE THREE TWINS"

40 Maryville People—Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 7.15-8:30

Fern Theatre **10 and 15c**

A PLOT SENSATION

PRESIDENT WILSON TAKES PART IN INVESTIGATION.

MANY CONSULS ACCUSED

Former Austrian Emissary Says All Teutons Are Fomenting Strikes and Destruction of Plants.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Nov. 12.—One of the profound sensations of the war was caused in the capital today by the statement in the Providence (R. I.) Journal over the signature of M. Goricar, former Austro-Hungarian consul to the United States, stationed at San Francisco.

The ex-minister charges that all of the Teutonic consuls in this country are mixed up in a plot to create strikes and to destroy munition plants. The charges coming at the end of a series of fires in concerns making war material for the allies is particularly significant.

Goricar charges that Von Bernstorf, German ambassador, and Von Nuber are themselves directing the work.

Wilson Takes a Hand.

President Wilson has taken personal charge of the investigations, and has ordered the agents of the department of justice to make a thorough search for evidence.

If the charges are proven in whole or part, it is intimated that a bigger sensation and shake-up than the recall of Dr. Dumba, former Austrian ambassador, will follow.

Count Von Bernstorf is out of the city and the attaches of the German embassy refuse to discuss the charges. It is intimated, however, that Bernstorf will enter a formal denial, vigorously attacking the Providence Journal and the sources of the information.

Counselor Zwiedinek of the Austrian embassy branded the story as completely false. He will call upon Secretary of State Lansing this afternoon to enter a formal denial. He says that Goricar is not to be believed and that he has been entirely discredited.

Recalls Dumba Disclosures.

The new sensation recalls the history of Dr. Dumba, who was recalled by the Austrian government at the request of the United States after letters to his government revealing the fomenting of strikes were found in the possession of a war correspondent.

BODY BROUGHT HERE.

Funeral Services For William Dickson Held at Myrtle Tree Cemetery.

The body of William Dickson, who died yesterday at a hospital in St. Joseph, was brought to Maryville today noon and taken to the Myrtle Tree cemetery northeast of the city, where the interment was made.

A short funeral service was conducted at the cemetery.

COMMITTEE MEETING CALLED.

Workers for Municipal Christmas Tree to Confer Tomorrow Afternoon.

There will be a meeting of the general committee on arrangements for the municipal Christmas tree at 5 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the office of the Commercial club.

The meeting is to make preliminary plans for the holding of the Christmas celebration.

A New Resident Here.

Geo. W. McMillen and A. A. Campbell have made the biggest trade that has been done here for a long time. McMillen traded his 200-acre farm, known as the Alex Graves place, in the North Grove district, for Campbell's suburban property, near Maryville. There is 10 acres of it, valued at $10,000. Mr. McMillen lives in Maryville now, and Mr. Campbell will later move to the farm.—Elmo Register.

Attended Insurance Meeting.

Judge W. M. Blackford and C. D. Hooker returned today at noon from Marshall, Mo., where they attended the meeting of county mutual insurance companies. They represented the Nodaway County Mutual Fire and Lightning Insurance Company.

Mrs. Con Reidlinger and son were guests of friends here yesterday.

MARRIED 50 YEARS TODAY

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Goff Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary at Home in Gaynor.

Today Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Goff, living northeast of Parnell, reached the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding day, and it is being made a jubilee occasion by the presence of a large number of friends and relatives, who are gathered at the Goff farm to spend the day.

At noon an elaborate dinner was served and Mr. and Mrs. Goff were remembered with many handsome gifts.

They were married at Victooria, Knox county, Illinois, and moved to

They were married at Victoria, Missouri, settling at Parnell. Mr. Goff conducted a general store there for some time, and then moved to Gaynor, where he is in the merchandise business.

TO DISCUSS HYPNOTISM

DR. H. H. P. SEVERIN OF NORMAL TO DEMONSTRATE LAWS.

Powers of Superior Mentality On Dogs, Cats and Animals to Be Shown in Lecture—Public Invited.

Dr. H. H. P. Severin, professor of biology at the State Normal school, will deliver two lectures and demonstrations of general interest in his class room at the normal administration building tomorrow morning at 8 and 10 o'clock. Hypnotism and the domination of superior mentality will be the subject.

The second lecture and demonstration will be given for the benefit of the pupils and others who cannot get to the early morning hour. The public is invited to both lectures.

Dogs, cats and other animals will be used in the demonstration, and the power of the human mind over animals, when scientifically used, will be demonstrated. In addition, the attitude of modern science to the principles of hypnotism will be discussed at length.

FIRST QUARTER AT LASHER

Wray Parker, First, and Howard Masters, Second, Lead in Examinations—Twenty Enrolled.

Following is the report of the Lasher school for the quarter ending November 5, 1915:

Number pupils enrolled, 20.

Total number days attendance by all pupils for the quarter, 735¼.

Average daily attendance, 17+.

Number cases of tardiness, 30.

Names of those attending every day: John and George Knepper.

Visitors during the quarter were Dora Masters, Mrs. William Knepper, Lawrence Knepper, Mrs. L. E. White and children, Mrs. O. D. Walker and children, Mrs. Charles Barrow and children, Mrs. Lloyd Martin, Misses Blanche Curnutt and Iva Williams.

In the quarterly examination Wray Parker averaged first and Howard Masters second in the eighth grade; Ernest Schenkel first and Robert Strauch second in the seventh grade; Lucile Masters first, Lorena Gault second and Otis Schenkel third in the fifth grade; John Knepper first and Pearl Deneen second in the fourth grade; Effie Sharp first and George Knepper second in the third grade; Dorris Walker first in the second grade, Clara Schenkel first in the first grade.

One of the best ways for parents to co-operate with the teacher is to see that the children start in time to arrive at school by 9 o'clock.

NEOMI HORNE, Teacher.

To See Football Game.

Kenneth Van Cleve, Goff Crawford, William Van Cleve and Forrest Gillam went to Stanberry today to witness the Stanberry-Bethany foot ball game.

Star Theatre

A Prince of Peace, Lubin Drama 2 acts. Stage Money, Vitagraph comedy 1 act. The Undertakers Uncle, Western comedy 1 act. Tomorrow, Charles Chaplin in a "Mixup."

City Taxes are Now Due

Collector's office on East Side of Square at Cook's Produce House. Come early and avoid the rush

E. W. Barrock
City Collector

GERMAN FOOD RIOTS

BELGIANS IN LOUVAIN FIRED ON BY TEUTONS.

MANY STREET UPHEAVALS

Berlin Government Denies Shortage, But Conferences On Situation Are Being Held.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Amsterdam, Nov. 12.—Many Belgians were hurt in street fights at Louvain over the scarcity of food. Riots for more food have been frequent.

During a demonstration the German military authorities ordered the police to fire upon the crowd. They did so and the crowd attacked them.

Germans Claim No Food Shortage.

Berlin, Nov. 12.—Absolute control of all food and food supplies by the central authorities of the empire is expected as a result of a conference between Von Betham-Hollweg and Baron Burian.

The kaiser's governments again insist that there is no shortage of food and that the measures are purely precautionary.

TOO BIG TO TAKE ORDERS.

How the Gubernatorial Situation is Sized Up in Southwest Missouri.

From the Springfield Republican.

Atkinson, chairman of the public service commission, has the call at this time for the gubernatorial nomination on the Democratic ticket in this state in 1916.

If either W. C. Ellison or W. A. Blagg of Maryville or Senator McDavid of Springfield should enter the race the Missouri Democracy might have a fighting chance in the next election, but the Mayor administration would not take kindly to the candidacy of men of this type. They are too big to take orders.

INSTITUTE OPENS TODAY.

Good Agricultural Exhibits and Domestic Science Displays Made.

The third annual domestic science and agricultural institute given under the supervision of the Mothers' club of Pickering opened today with a good attendance and many domestic science, sewing and agricultural exhibits. Three clubs and the school entered fancy work, which is on display in the league room of the Methodist church. The agricultural display is in the Wray Brothers' hardware store. The premiums and ribbons will be awarded tonight.

Miss Bab Bell gave two demonstrations today. This morning she demonstrated and lectured on cake making, and this afternoon she demonstrated the making of ices.

DEATH OF NATHAN BAKER.

Died at the Home of His Brother in Barnard.

The funeral services of Nathan Baker, who died at the home of his brother, Martin Baker, in Barnard, yesterday, were held today at 1 o'clock at the residence.

Nathan Baker was 84 years old and had been suffering for some time with a complication of diseases. He is survived by three children.

Mr. Baker was a brother of the late John W. Baker of this city.

Tonight's Speaker Arrives.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Prosser of Fayette, Mo., arrived in Maryville at noon today. Mr. Prosser is to be one of the speakers at the Men's Brotherhood meeting to be held tonight at the Buchanan Street Methodist church. The Rev. J. D. Randolph, former pastor of the Maryville church, now pastor at Fayette, will come to Maryville this evening to be present at the meeting.

Guests at Elmridge Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mayor arrived today from their home in Kansas City, Kan., and will be the guests of their nephew J. J. Pyles, and family of Elmridge Farm.

W. A. Mann and Mrs. Mann left this morning for St. Joseph, where they will be the guests of Mrs. W. T. Hardesty. Mr. Mann will return Monday, but his wife will remain for a few weeks.

SHIP'S LOST PLACED AT 211

That is Government Estimate, But Ancona's Owners Say Not More Than 100 Are Dead.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Rome, Nov. 12.—The government's immigration commissioner reports that 211 are missing.

A Naples dispatch says that the owners of the Ancona place the loss at a hundred, which indicates that the boats have not reported all the passengers they have picked up.

NORMAL SOCIETY ORGANIZED

Third Literary Body Started Last Night With 26 Members—Meets Each Thursday Night.

A literary society which will be known as the Excelsior, was organized last night at the State Normal school with a membership of twenty-six students.

O. B. Elliott was elected president and Miss Greer secretary. The meetings will be held Thursday night of each week. In accordance with the established rules of the Normal literary societies the membership is limited to thirty-six.

Beside the Excelsior society, there are two other literary organizations, the Philomathean and Eurekan, each with a membership of thirty-six, and the meetings of all are held on Thursday nigh.t

CABINET MEETING HELD

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE TO CONGRESS DISCUSSED.

Reported That No Mention of Preparedness or Ancona Was Made—Manila Defenses Completed.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Nov. 12.—The first cabinet meeting since July met at noon today. The members devoted most of the time to a discussion of the coming presidential message to congress.

The sessions lasted an hour, but it is reported that no mention of the Ancona sinking nor of national defense was made.

Secretary of War Garrison reported that the new fortifications outside Manila bay, on Corregidor island, are now completely finished after eight years work.

The new 14-inch guns which guard one of the largest possessions of the United States have a range equal to the world's greatest battleships.

R. F. PROTZMAN ASKS DIVORCE.

States That His Wife Wanted Too Many Fine Clothes.

Ray F. Protzman of Maryville filed suit for divorce today from his wife, Harriet Staples Protzman, to whom he was married January 25, 1909. In his petition the plaintiff asks for the custody of the two children, 5 and 4 years old.

The wife is in Kansas City, where she has been since October 21. Mr. Protzman states to the court that the troubles between himself and wife arose over his inability to give her all the clothes she desired and her custom of running large bills at the stores.

SAVILLE, MILER, WALKED HOME.

Grant City Boy in Normal "Hikes" 35 Miles for Exercise.

Last Thursday Chauncey Saville, a student of the Maryville Normal, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Saville of Worth county, walked from Maryville to Grant City in nine hours. He visited with his parents here until Sunday, when he walked back to Maryville. The distance from Grant City to Maryville is about thirty-five miles.

The roads were in good condition and the weather was pleasant and Mr. Saville enjoyed the jaunt, he said. He was graduated from the Grant City high school two years ago; during the time he was in school here he made quite a reputation on the track.—Worth County Times.

KING DISSOLVES GREEK CHAMBER

REFUSAL TO SUPPORT CABINET THE CAUSE.

ROYAL DECREE SETS DEC. 19 ELECTION

Germans Are Fortifying Greek Island —Athens Hears of Great Bulgarian Defeat South of Veles.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Athens, Nov. 12.—The Greek chamber of deputies was dissolved by King Constantine, following the refusal of that body to support the cabinet.

The royal decree published today calls for a general election December 19.

Berlin Hears Differently.

Berlin, Nov. 12.—The Overseas agency says that the Greek cabinet is now in control of the chamber of deputies since twenty-seven members of the Venizelos party withdrew from that organization.

Germans Fortifying Island.

London, Nov. 12.—An Avalona dispatch says that the Island of Corfu is being fortified by German army officers disguised as tourists. This island is under the government of Greece.

An Athens message states that the Bulgarians have been decisively defeated south of Veles, and that furious fighting continues between the allies and the Bulgarians in southern Servia.

The Austro-German forces have penetrated 100 miles into Servia now and are advancing along a 40-mile front. They are fighting in the mountains west of Nish. According to Servian information the Teuton advance in the west has been checked.

Italy Into Balkans Next.

A Milan dispatch says that the Italian government had agreed to give the allies another support in the Balkans to insure their complete success. This indicates that Italy is planning to put a big army in the Balkan struggle.

ON AUSTRO-ITALIAN FRONT.

Italians Claim Two Important Victories.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Rome, Nov. 12.—It is officially announced that the important positions, Sector and Sanmartino, have been captured from the Austrians by the Italians. Near Plata Issonzo river Italians advanced to Gargora. Hard fighting is progressing on the greater part of the front.

LYNCH NEGRO FOR CRITICISM.

Mississippi Black Spoke Disparagingly of Women's Dress and is Killed.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Aberdeen, Miss., November 12.—John Taylor, a negro, was lynched last night for criticising the style of dresses worn by white women.

Conceded Election of Stanley.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Louisville, Nov. 12.—Morrow, the Republican candidate for governor, formally conceded the election of Stanley, Democrat, as governor of Kentucky.

Mrs. J. Kissinger returned to her home in Barnard this morning after a visit with friends here.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Saturday; slightly warmer tonight.

Tonight

WILLIAM FARNUM

In the picturiza ion of Roy Norton's virile and romatic novel "THE PLUNDERERS"

The Empire Theatre

Children, 10. Adults, 15c.

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Announcement.

We are authorized to announce Robert I. Young of Buchanan county, as a Democratic candidate for Congress from the Fourth district subject to the primary election to be held August 8, 1916.

The war shows how big a fool the world can make of itself.

In this age of abundant literature the two books really worth while are too often neglected. They are the Bible and the cook book.

The Democrat-Forum has been named by a national newspaper expert as the "winning daily" in Maryville. In other words, the daily worth while.

Col. Louis E. Browning of St. Clair county, member of the legislature who secured the passage of the wolf scalp measure that was vetoed by Governor Major, would also like the Democratic nomination for governor.

Among the new senators who will take their seats in the senate when the sixty-fourth congress convenes is Oscar Underwood of Alabama, recently the Democratic leader in the house of representatives. Mr. Underwood is one of the ablest men in public life today and admittedly is the highest authority on tariff in this country. He is familiar with all the subjects that will be presented at the coming session of congress, and, moreover, is well established in the respect of the country.—St. Joseph News-Press.

Who They May Carry.

Rural carriers are often asked to take passengers out with them on their routes, and their refusal to do so is sometimes misunderstood. The following is from the Official Postal Guide and leaves no doubt whatever as to the carrier's duty in the matter:

The only persons who are authorized to accompany a carrier are postoffice inspectors and other agents of the department upon presentation of proper credentials, postmaster or their official representatives when engaged upon official business; and road supervisors or commissioners having direct charge of the highways over which routes are in operation, when actually engaged in performances of their duties in connection with the inspection of the roads.

You Can Enjoy Life

Eat what you want and not be troubled with indigestion if you will take a

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet

before and after each meal. Sold only by us—25c a box.

Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Seriously Ill.

Mrs. Dave Neidel left today for Creston, Ia., where she was called by the serious illness of her father, Alex Osborn. Mr. Osborn makes his home with his daughter, Mrs. George King, formerly of this city.

The advantages of EARLY SHOPPING can be no better exemplified than in buying of Photographs.

We are agreed as to their value and desirability as Gifts.

Then why not make arrangements for that sitting now—The telephone is convenient. CALL 117 and the rest will be easy.

MARCELL,
The PHOTOGRAPHER.

NEW MINISTER OF CHINA PROMINENT

Dr. Koo Recently Named Envoy to Mexico, Cuba and Peru.

A GRADUATE OF COLUMBIA.

One of the First Students Sent to America by China Through Boxer Rebellion Indemnity—Has Host of Professional Friends, Also Good Knowledge of International Law.

Washington.—Dr. Vi Kyuin Wellington Koo, who was recently appointed as the Chinese minister to the United States, succeeding Kai Fu Shah, is a graduate of Columbia university, where he received his doctor's degree. He was one of the first students sent to America by the government of China through the Boxer rebellion indemnity, remitted by the United States, and acquitted himself with great credit. He is well known in New York and includes among his friends many leaders in educational, professional and financial circles.

The new envoy attended St. John's college, Shanghai, and was admitted to Columbia in 1904, where he took a prominent part in undergraduate life. He was editor in chief of the Columbia Spectator, the university daily paper, and was a member of the Columbia debating team which defeated Cornell in 1908. The student board of

Photo by American Press Association.

DR. VI KYUIN WELLINGTON KOO.

graduates included him as a member. He also took an active part in track athletics.

Dr. Koo was only recently named Chinese minister to Mexico, Peru and Cuba and passed through Washington on his way to London prior to taking up his official position. He was presented to Secretary of State Lansing at that time and discussed the Mexican situation with him.

As an undersecretary at the Chinese foreign office Dr. Koo was a member of the commission which conducted negotiations with the Japanese minister in Peking last spring. It is said that he is a close friend of President Yuan Shih Kai and is in sympathy with the latter's leaning toward a monarchical form of government for China.

The impression was gained here that Minister Koo's appointment came as a surprise to the present minister. It is said that Peking was dissatisfied with his reports of the attitude of the American government and public opinion in the United States during the Chino-Japanese negotiations. The legation repeatedly applied to the state department for aid and counsel at that time, but the United States took no action toward restraining Japan in her demands upon China.

In 1909 Dr. Koo was made master of arts and for three years thereafter studied under Dr. John Bassett Moore. The degree of Ph. D. was conferred upon him, and he acquired a wide reputation for his knowledge of international law.

While a student in New York city Dr. Koo was closely associated with work in Chinese American circles. He was editor of the Chinese Students' Monthly and as president of the Chinese Students' alliance did much to advance the interests of Chinese students in America.

Dr. Koo left America in April, 1912 to take up his duties as diplomatic secretary to President Yuan Shih Kai. The Chinese society gave him a luncheon on the eve of his departure.

While on the Pacific slope, intrusted with a government mission, he received word of his appointment as minister to Mexico.

At the recent Bankers' club luncheon in New York Dr. Koo said, "The Chinese people have a liking for Americans which is as intense as it is justified, and when I say this I do not speak on behalf of only a portion of the people."

YOU CAN'T FIND ANY DANDRUFF, AND HAIR STOPS COMING OUT

Save Your Hair. Make It Thick, Wavy, Glossy and Beautiful at Once.

Try as you will, after an application of Danderine you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment. A 25-cent bottle will double the beauty of your hair.

ARE USING WALNUT LOGS.

Six Carloads Sent From Burlington Junction—To Be Sent to Europe for Gun Stocks.

Six carloads of walnut logs are being shipped from here to Des Moines, and will be sent from there to Europe, where they will be used for gun stocks to assist in the wholesale murder that is now going on in that country. Sloan & Hopkins is the firm that is buying them, and they have sawed and hauled many fine logs from the Walker and Speer timbers north of town. The buyers cut and haul the logs to the railroad track, where they are measured. They have been paying $20 a thousand feet for the timber, but buy nothing less than 12 inches in diameter.—Burlington Junction Post.

Save your cattle and money with Blacklekoids. Koch Pharmacy. 9-12

George Brown and sons, Adrian and Clifford of Burlington Junction were business visitors here yesterday.

Garrett--Eckert
HARDWARE COMPANY

Saturday and Monday

Special Sale

For 49c

You Can Buy—
Hand Saws,
Steel Squares,
Spirit Levels,
Hatchets,
Hammers,
Hunters Axes,
Boys Axes,
Coal Scoops,
Lanterns,
Furnace Scoops,
Copper Nickel Plated Cuspidor,
Brass Cuspidor.

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Assortment of Extra Good values in different Styles and Sizes—Your Choice

49c

Look at our window display for other 49c Specials

American and Ever Ready Flash Lights

We have recently placed in stock a complete line of Flash Lights and Batteries—the simplest, safest and most economical portable light you ever saw. Prices range from 50c to $3.00. Let us show you.

Garrett--Eckert
HARDWARE COMPANY
South Side Square

SPECIAL FUR SALE

Monday, November 15th, Only

Mr. C. B. Griffith from the Gordon-Furgerson Company one of the largest manufacturers of Furs in the United States will be in our store all day Monday, November 15th with their complete line of Furs—which includes everything in fur. We invite you to call and inspect this elaborate display.

Special Redfern Corset Demonstration

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

Don't Forget the Special Sale of Children's Cloaks Tomorrow

Haines

The Busy Store With Little Prices

Straightening Streams With Dynamite

The ancient Egyptians were noted for their crops because, as history states, they "sowed their seeds in the Nile." This does not mean that they actually cast the seed in the river. At certain seasons of the year the Nile overflows its banks, depositing on either shore a rich silt or earth that is highly conducive to bumper crops, and the wise ancient Egyptians, realizing this profited thereby.

Water is a necessity. The tiniest brooks up to the largest rivers play an important part in the scheme of things inasmuch as they are nature's way of

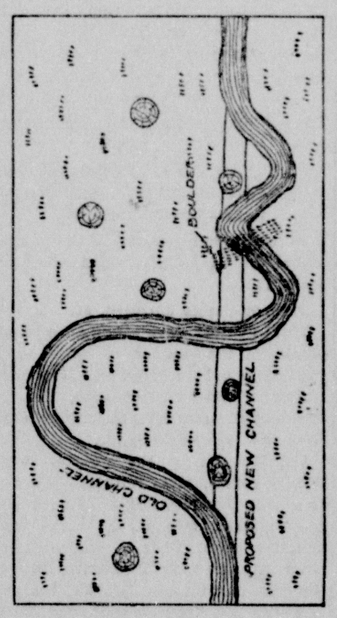

Diagram of Stream Troubles That May Be Corrected by Blasting.

both irrigation and drainage. But being formed according to nature's dictates their courses do not always jibe with man's desires or needs.

Rock ledges impede their progress. Overhanging stumps and trees retard their flow. Numerous irregularities cause them to meander about in apparently wasteful ways, and man's carelessness has added to these troubles by allowing driftwood and loose earth to form dams and sandbars.

All of these things help to hold the flood of waters back and cause either flooding or swamps, which not only occupy land that could be more profitably used for farming, but also form fine breeding places for mosquitoes and other obnoxious pests. Incidentally they cause an annual loss running into millions of dollars per year.

In this day of enlightenment such things are both wasteful and, one might add, criminal, especially so in view of the fact that almost instant relief may be had by a few well placed charges of dynamite. Not only will these blasts straighten out the kinks and bends and remove ledges and sand bars, but they will deepen and improve the channels as nature has really intended. Incidentally by straightening the winding course of a creek much area of tillable land can be obtained and farm operation in many instances made much easier

Mrs. John Stundon went to Barnard this morning, where she will attend the funeral of her late uncle, Nathan Baker.

Mrs. O. H. DeMoss left Friday morning for Kansas City, where she will visit for several days.

Mrs. B. T. Dalrymple of Pickering is the guest of friends for the day.

Mr. J. E. Bailey,
Maryville, Mo.

Dear Sir: There are two sorts of furniture. You know both; for you sell 'em both. One sort looks better than it is, and the other is better than it looks. There isn't any other sort.

The same, two sorts of paint, no more; and we make 'em both—we make tons of stuff that isn't worth its freight. Belongs to the business—have to. Belongs to your business—you have to.

But this is aside. We put into cans, with our name on, the very best paint there is in the world: Devoe lead-and-zinc. It takes fewer gallon than mixed paints, and it wears twice as long as lead-and-oil.

Mr C O Brown, Columbia, S C, painted his house with Devoe lead-and zinc. The painter, on seeing the quantity sent to the house, said there wasn't enough. There were ten gallons left, when the job was done.

Yours truly,
F. W. DEVOE & CO.,
New York, Chicago and Kansas City.

P. S.—Koch's Pharmacy sells our paint.

Not All Barber Cattle Quarantined.

We are informed that the farm of F. C. Barber and Sons, near Skidmore, is not quarantined but a single pasture containing twenty-nine head is under the law. The rest of the famous herd of Shortborns, 238 head, have been tested and found perfectly healthy.

STATE ON CIGARETTES

LAW ALMOST AS STRICT AS CITY ORDINANCES.

Penalties for Sale Are Greater, and Use by Minors Under 18 Years of Age is Prohibited.

The sale and use of cigarettes have been brought prominently into public interest recently by the action of the Columbia city council in prohibiting their sale in the university town, and more locally by the tightening of the restrictions upon them in Maryville.

It will therefore be a matter of concern to many minors to read what the Missouri state law has to say about the use and sale of the little "coffin nails."

State Cigarette Law.

Section 4734. Sale and gift of cigarettes and cigarette paper forbidden. Penalty—Any person who shall, by himself, his servant or agent, or as the servant or agent of any other person, directly or indirectly, or upon any pretense, or by device, sell, give away or otherwise dispose, unto any person under the age of eighteen years, any cigarette, cigarette paper or cigarette wrappers, or any substitute therefor, or for the purpose of being filled with tobacco for smoking, shall be adjudged guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than one hundred dollars for the first offense, and by a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than five hundred dollars for the second offense; and provided further that one-half the fine recovered shall go to the complaining witness. (Laws of 1909, p. 447.)

Sec. 4735. Use of cigarettes by minors in public places forbidden. Penalty—Every person over the age of ten years and under the age of eighteen years, who shall smoke or use cigarettes on any public road, street, alley, park or other lands used for public purposes, or in any public place of business or amusement, or upon any railroad train or street car, shall, upon conviction, be adjudged guilty of a misdemeanor and punished by a fine of not more than ten dollars. (Laws 1909, p. 447.)

Save your cattle. Use Blacklegoids, sold by Koch Pharmacy. 9-12

Notice

I have the Merchant Tax Book and am ready to receive Taxes. Merchant's License expired November 1, 1915. Please renew.

W. R. TILSON,
County Treasurer

Society Brand Clothes

The **Broadway**

(like picture)

The BROADWAY is a double-breasted coat close fitting, high waisted, with slanting flap pocket. It's the smartest overcoat style for the present season and appeals to men who dress individually.

Made in plain, smooth cloths. Colors: Black, Brown, Blue and Oxford.

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One of Largest Breeders of Shorthorns in That State to Look Over C. D. Bellows Herd.

Dr. Celedonia Pereda and his son from the Argentine Republic, among the largest breeders of Shorthorn cattle in that South American state, will be in Maryville next week to inspect the herd of Bellows Brothers.

For several years Dr. Pereda and his son have been buying new blood for their herds in England. This year, due to the European war, they are searching new fields and are coming to the United States.

It is with the intention of looking over the Bellows herd for selection of new stock that the South American breeders are coming to Maryville.

Preparedness

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Dr. E. J. Carlson
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MARYVILLE, MO.

Many On St. Joseph Market.

Nodaway county was represented by the following patrons who contributed stock on today's market: Ballard Bros., Will N. Wray, George Goodson, Earl Heflin, Merle Smith & Co., Sherlock & Fogan, G. A. Fite, Will Guyette, Isaac Tyson, W. F. Barber, Halker & Coleman, J. C. Appleton, Melvin & Nicholson, C. E. Hood, G. W. Davis, J. Godsey and G. H. Swaney.

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Stag Party Well Attended.

The stag party held last night at the Elks club for the members was well attended and was a big success. Augustus Romasser was captain of one side while Edward W. Keck headed the other side in the card games, the losers to pay for the supper. After much work it was found out that it was a draw, and that the expense of the supper was on both teams.

Do Not Gripe

We have a pleasant laxative that will just do what you want it to do.

Rexall Orderlies

We sell thousands of them and we have never seen a better remedy for the bowels. Sold only by us, 10 cents.
Orear-Henry Drug Co.

C. D. Peters, formerly in the insurance and real estate business here, was in Maryville yesterday. He is traveling in the west for a chemical company and is making the trip in his Ford car.

The Fashion of the Day

Period Furniture

The patterns of the old masters. The Adams, The Sheridan, The William and Mary Jacobaen and Colonial are all displayed on our floors in all the new finishes, We invite you to inspect our lines in all departments.

We have just received a large shipment of Davenports in styles and values that will interest you.

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Dr. G. H. Leach of Maryville, Missouri, has taken the agency for the Guilfoil Anti-Hog Cholera Serum and will have a fresh supply in refrigeration at his office.

Guilfoil Serum Company
Kansas City, Kansas
U. S. Veterinary License 61

SUNLIGHT FOR THE FERNS

Plants Cannot Be Expected to Appear at Their Best Without the the Sun's Rays.

Some people think ferns must have sunshine, but that is not true. Ferns will live in the shade, and there are some sorts, of course, that are scorched by the sun. But most ferns that are cultivated in the house like a good deal of sunlight, and never do their best without it.

Window boxes where ferns are growing should be sprinkled lavishly twice a day. If the leaves are dry and dusty they should be well shaken before sprinkling.

If possible, get the earth with which to fill your boxes from an old hotbed—rich loam and rotted manure about half and half.

Failing that, take any that is handy and enrich it with ammonia and bone meal, mixed thoroughly. A heaping teaspoonful of the bone meal or a tablespoonful of manure is enough for a six-inch pot of earth. Neither must be kept directly on the roots of the plants. Liquid fertilizer, likewise, must be kept off the roots, stems and leaves. Make a hole at one side of a trench just inside the pot rim, pour in the fertilizer and let it sink, then put back the earth.

They Must Have It.

Besides catering to occult tastes of their residents, the managers of the hotels here also watch the epicurean peculiarities of those who live within their doors. One of the managers of a Fifth avenue hotel recalled the case of a man who indulges his whim for calf's head! This man at frequent intervals calls the hotel by telephone and asks for the manager, none other of the staff will do. "Hello," he says. "I want you to tell the head waiter and the chef that I am on my way up there and I want's calf's head au vinagrette. Do you get me? Now, remember to tell them who it is. They know the way I want it, and I'll be there in 20 minutes." Another man who lives in Brooklyn comes here frequently for filet of sole. He can't see anything else on the bill of fare or listen to any suggestions. He wants sole and sole he must have.—New York Times.

HEAD AND NOSTRILS STUFFED FROM COLD

"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends Colds and Grippe in Few Hours—Tastes Nice—Acts Gently.

Your cold will break and all grippe misery end after taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.

NO MYSTERY ABOUT THAT

Comedian Found It Easy to Recognize the "Handwriting" of His Manager.

Mr. S——, the theatrical manager, though in other respects a thorough business man, could neither read nor write, but kept a private secretary, who had strict injunctions not to betray the secret.

One day the manager was dining at his hotel, when a gold watch was raffled for. Each of the guests staked two shillings, wrote his name on a scrap of paper and threw it into a hat. Our manager was dreadfully perplexed when his turn came to sign his name. However, in order not to expose himself, he pretended to write, rolled up the blank piece of paper and threw it into the hat along with the rest.

As chance would have it, this very paper was drawn. Great was the astonishment when it was found to be blank But B——, the low comedian, who was present, asked to have it shown to him, and when he had examined it carefully, he gravely exclaimed: "That is our manager's handwriting. I should know it among a thousand!" —London Mail.

Making It Strong.

Bacon—I'm building an ice-box.

Egbert—Oh, are you?

"Yes; what do they put in an ice-box to make it strong?"

"Onions, I believe."

Dr. F. R. Anthony stepped on a nail recently and is "wearing" a cane as a result.

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St. Mary's Church Social Monday Evening.

The young women of St. Mary's church will give a social Monday evening at the church. The diversion of the evening will be the playing of games.

Queen Esther Circle Meets With Miss Herndon.

The Queen Esther Circle will be entertained Saturday afternoon by Miss Fay Herndon at her home, on West First street. The afternoon program will begin at 2:30 o'clock.

Elks to Have Thanksgiving Dance.

The Thanksgiving dance of the Elks will be held Thanksgiving night, November 25, at their club house. Harvey McClary and Fred Bellows are the committee in charge.

D. A. R. to Meet Saturday Afternoon.

The regular meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Jr., with Mrs. James A. Ford, Miss Julia Tate, Miss Jeanette Tate and Mrs. Jackson hostesses.

Miss Brewer Hostess to Senior Class of St. Patrick's School.

Miss Agnes Brewer entertained the senior class of St. Patrick's school at her home last evening. The evening was pleasantly spent playing cards and dominoes.

The guests were: Miss Beatrice Browning, Miss Loretta Gorman, Miss Alice Donahue, Roland Merrigan, Mr. William O'Donnell and Mr. Raymond Murrin.

Thursday Evening Dinner and Line Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Zahm gave a dinner party last evening at their home, followed by a line party at the Empire theater. The home was beautifully decorated in pin kand white, the color scheme also being carried out in the menu.

Covers were laid for Miss Eathel Wood, Miss Irene Aley, Miss Verna Aley, Miss Florence Anderson and Miss Eva Dawson.

Harry Wilson Gives Dinner Party.

Harry T. Wilson was host to the following named guests at dinner Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Wilson: Miss Winifred Limerick of Savannah, Miss Mildred Wolfers of Hopkins, Miss Ferol Bilby and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barber and son, William Jr., of Skidmore, Fred Bellows and Harvey McClary of Maryville, Miss Gladys Davis of Compton, California, and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice G. Wolfers of Burlington Junction.—Burlington Junction Post.

Society Meets With Mrs. J. K. Sawyers.

The Women's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church gave a very interesting program yesterday afternoon at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. John K. Sawyers, on North Main street. The meeting was opened by the president, Miss Lucie Davis, with devotional exercises. Mrs. F. M. Martin followed with a general survey of mission work in Latin America, and Mrs. J. H. Gray gave the history of the central Brazil missions. In the absence of several others on the program, Miss Davis took the numbers and gave a general outline of Presbyterian mission work. Mrs. William Moll Case gave an interesting talk on Chinese Missions. The social hour followed and luncheon was served by Mrs. Sawyers, Mrs. Martin Lewis, Mrs. Winfield Scott and Mrs. W. B. Scott.

Treat Children's Colds Externally

Don't dose delicate little stomachs with harmful internal medicines. Vick's "Vap O-Rub" Salve, applied externally, relieves by inhalation as a vapor and by absorption through the skin. Vick's can be used freely with perfect safety on the youngest member of the family 25c, 50c, or $1.00.

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Guess Work Is DANGEROUS In Fitting Glasses

The old way of fitting glasses by guessing at the kind needed was often more harmful than going without them. **NO GUESS WORK NOW.** submit the test, the correction, and the cost to you before you are asked to pay a single cent. You take no risk nor incur any obligation by coming to me about your eyes.

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Mrs. W. J. Osborn Leads Shakespeare Program.

Mrs. W. J. Osborn was the leader of the program given by the Shakespeare department of the Twentieth Century club at the regular meeting held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Berney Harris. The study was the fourth act of Macbeth, the members taking one act for discussion at a meeting, and the leader conducted it in an unusually interesting way. At its conclusion Mrs. Harris gave the current topics taken from the Review of Reviews, and Mrs. J. A. Spiers conducted the word drill.

Club Department Meets With Miss Carpenter.

Miss Dora Carpenter was the hostess last night to the meeting of the Modern Drama department of the Twentieth Century club, held at her home, on East Fourth street. During the business period Miss Dorothy Pierce was chosen secretary-treasurer of the department in the place of Miss Kate Schenck, who will be absent from the city during the winter. The general topic of the evening, the "Formation and Technique of the Drama,' was given by Miss Beatrix Winn, and the history of the Greek, Roman and English drama was given by Miss Alice Porter Miss Carpenter and Miss Mildred Miller. Miss Miller also gave current notes on the American stage. Among the visiting club members present were Mrs. M. G. Tate, Mrs. Berney Harris, Miss Jeanette Tate, Mrs. Lee Carpenter and the Misses Carpenter. The December meeting will be at the studio of the Conservatory of Music, with Miss Porter as hostess.

Dinner Party For Out-of-Town Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Sharp entertained at dinner Tuesday in honor of Mrs. Sharp's brother, Mr. John Smith, and Mrs. Smith of Wray, Col., who are their guests. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Strough and son, Edward; Mrs. G. W. Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Will Freeze and daughters, Clara and Evelyn, of Quitman; Mrs. Mollie Graves, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Tilton. Mr. Smith and Mrs. Sharp had not met in fifteen years.

Penelope Club Holds Social Evening.

The autumn social evening of the Penelope club was held last night at the home of Mrs. Florence Staples, on South Buchanan street, when the members entertained their husbands and a few visiting friends at a domino party. The rooms and tables were attractive with decorations of autumn leaves and flowers. Mrs. F. C. Conrad made the high score in the domino games. Mrs. Staples was assisted by Mrs. Charles McNeal, Mrs. Byron Frost, Mrs. John Price and Mrs. Harold VanSteenbergh in entertaining her guests, who were Mr. and Mrs. Dan R. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Braniger, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Catterson, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Costello, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. DeArmond, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Frost, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. John Herron, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNeal, Mr. and Mrs. John Murrin, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. John Price, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. VanSteenbergh, Mr. and Mrs. Harold VanSteenbergh, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Wright, Mrs. W. A. Burris, Mrs. Gallatin Craig, Mrs. M. Heffern, Miss Ida Fuller, W. E. Wakeman and Harold Staples.

Church Women Give Supplies to Orphanage.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Christian church met yesterday at the church and made fifty gallons of apple butter, which is to be sent to the orphanage at St. Louis, which is supported by the Christian denomination. The jam is only a part of the winter

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Gifts

Suitable for any occasion are to be found in good variety at this store.

Glass and Crystal of the newest shapes and cut things.

Sterling and Sheffield Silver pieces whose goodness becomesmore apparent with each succeeding year.

A cordial invitation is extended you to visit our splendid showing.

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Maryville's Live Jeweler

Special Sale

Fur Coats

ON

Monday, November 15th

We will have at our store a representative of GORDON & FURGUSON, St. Paul, one of the largest manufacturers FUR COATS, FUR LINED CLOTH COATS, FUR CAPS and GLOVES, in the United States.

If you are looking for something special in any of the above lines, don't fail to be here ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 15. They have the line and prices are right.

Corwin-Murrin Clothing Co.

Factory Representative of the White Sewing Machine

IS NOW AT OUR STORE ready to demonstrate this great machine. He will be pleased to see you at this store or will call at your house by appointment.

If you have an old machine that needs repairing, bring it to the store and it will be put into first class condition at a reasonable cost.

We shall be pleased to have you call and have the surpassing merits of the WHITE explained by a man who knows all about Sewing Machines.

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FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING

Main and Second Maryville, Mo.

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from page 3.)

shipment which the women are making. Other fruits, clothing, toys and Christmas treats are to be included in the shipment, which will be sent in next week. The women are also preparing for their annual yuletide fair, which is to be held on December 1 and 2 at the church. A large supply of fancy work, comforts and useful articles are to be sold and the women are making a specialty of made rugs this year, offering many fine ones. Meals will be served on both days.

Farewell Party.
For Departing Guests.

Wiley Slagle of Ravenwood was the host of a party given last night at his home, arranged as a farewell pleasure for Misses Hazel Henson and Fleta Loch and Merle Henson, all of whom are leaving Ravenwood soon. The time was spent informally and the guests, beside the honored ones were Misses Helen Tebow, Kate McElvain, Marie Oglesby, Halley Spear, Ethel Holdsclaw, Georgeis Richards, Maud Winters, Bessie Van Houten, Vashti and Juanita Conn, Fred Winters, Rex Bond, George Conn, Hoyt Craig, Harold Tebow and Marion Richards. The Hensons expect to go to New Mexico to reside and Miss Loch will move to Maryville.

Class Surprises
Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Flynt.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Flynt were given a surprise party last night in the parlors of the First Christian church, which was arranged as a farewell courtesy before the departure of the Flynts to their new home in Kansas City. The evening was spent informally and a luncheon enjoyed. Both Mr. and Mrs. Flynt are members of the class, and their withdrawal from the membership is keenly regretted by all. Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Bone give a dinner party tonight in honor of the Flynts. They expect to leave for Kansas City tomorrow.

Farm at Public Auction

THE MARGARET O'CONNOR farm will be sold at Public Auction, Saturday, November 13, 1915 at about 1:30 p. m., at the west front door of the Court House in Maryville, Missouri. This land being the south half of the south-east quarter of section 26, township 64, range 35, Nodaway County, Mo., (except one acre for school purposes.) Terms cash.

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So don't be discouraged if you are just making the start.

This bank takes pride in its large number of customers who are young people or beginners.

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SAFETY COURTESY SERVICE

Explosives In Road Building

One of the newer methods of road building that is fast winning the indorsement of the better versed contractor is that of employing dynamite for reducing the heavy work.

Grading through hard ground or rock, for instance, is tedious and requires time and labor. The use of dynamite for blasting such material is a welcome relief. Both rock and hard clay may be loosened in the cut by well placed charges of explosives if holes are drilled into the ground a little way up the bank and loaded. Careful spacing and loading for electrically fired blasts will result in bringing down both classes of materials in the best possible manner

In loosening shale and rock to facilitate hand or steam shovel work dynamite is also very effective, while stumps may be blasted from the roadbed just as though they were being removed from a field to be cleared and cultivated.

Boulders also are easily shattered by suitable loading and when of hard rock may be crushed into surfacing stone. The side ditches as well as the long outfall ditches can also be blasted in keeping with the nature of the ground. In fact, there are no limits practically to the many uses and advantages of dynamite for road building when careful and thoughtful attention is given to the work.

Incidentally the planting of shade trees for roadside improvement and attractiveness is greatly facilitated by the judicious use of a little dynamite. It is a recognized fact that trees planted in blasted holes grow much more rapidly and progress more favorably than those planted in the average spade dug ground.

Burrowers---Beware!

Gophers and prairie dogs are the bane of western farmers, while in the east woodchucks are the type of burrowing animals that cause the tillers of the soil to forget some of the things the dominie tells them on Sundays.

Don Leonardo Ruiz, a California rancher, says "dynamite is the proper medicine to give ground squirrels, gophers, prairie dogs, etc."

Take an inch and a half or two inches of dynamite. Put it in a bit of cloth or several thicknesses of paper to form a small round cartridge. Tie the cloth or paper firmly about one end of a piece of fuse twelve or fourteen inches long, but do not use a cap.

Insert one of these charges well into the mouth of every hole and pack loose dirt around the fuse, leaving enough of the end outside to light easily. Light the fuse and go on to the next hole. There will be no explosion.

There being no cap or other detonator, the dynamite will simply burn, filling the hole with dense, poisonous fumes that will almost instantly stifle and then kill every living thing inside

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Digging a Ditch In a Flash

Things move quickly nowadays. The village of yesterday is tomorrow's metropolis. Speed is a requisite, and newer methods that smack of rapidity and labor and money saving are in demand.

Ditches that once consumed many days of hand or machine labor are now being blasted out in almost the twinkling of an eye. By degrees man is learning to adopt some of nature's simple, but mighty forces. And the gullies and valleys that old Mother Earth has created by her natural upheavals and eruptions are being duplicated in a smaller way by some of the more progressive and up to date farmers.

Digging ditches with dynamite is simply a newer and more improved method of trench building. The method employed in wet work is simply to punch holes from eighteen to twenty-four inches deep along the line desired to ditch and then load each hole with a charge of 50 per cent straight dynamite.

Long stretches of ditch can be loaded and fired at one time. One cap placed in a cartridge of dynamite in the middle hole of the line of charged holes and fired will do the work.

A single row of holes can usually be depended upon to excavate a ditch from seven to nine feet wide and about thirty to forty inches deep. Where larger ditches are required the holes can be made deeper and loaded heavier, or two or more lines of holes, spaced from three to four feet apart, can be used. Incidentally the holes can be made in the roughest kind of swamp or in flood muck beds, where other methods of ditching are practically impossible.

When the soil is dry or the weather is too cold to use the propagated method of blasting described above low freezing farm or stumping powder is used in holes spread farther apart, often in large ditches as far as four or five feet. In this case each hole must be primed with an electric cap, as the explosive shock will not propagate in dry ground.

The cheapest lineal foot of small ditch is obtained by using the electric firing method and farm or stumping powder.

Loading.

The Ditch.

BLASTING DITCHES THROUGH SWAMP.

USE "CASCARETS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS WHEN CONSTIPATED

When Bilious, Headachy, Sick for Sour Stomach, Bad Breath, Bad Colds.

Get a 10-cent box.

Take a Cascaret tonight to cleanse your Liver, Stomach and Bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, a bad cold, are bilious, nervous, upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out. Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels.

Remember, a Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning. A 10-cent box from your druggist means healthy bowel action; a clear head and cheerfulness for months. Don't forget the children.

Marriage Licenses.

David Miller.....Conception Jct.
Teresa Walter.....Conception Jct.
Ahi F. Hyde.....Clyde
Elizabeth Simonieg....Conception Jct.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

If Your Hair is Falling Out

we know of no better remedy than

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic

A preparation which we gladly recommend to you. 50c. a bottle.

Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Durocs for Sale

BIG TYPE SPRING BOARS

Not 125 pound pigs, but hogs that will weigh around 250 pounds, and not fat. With plenty of length and height and bone to spare. Good hams and back. Good color. In fact, they are big smooth, stretchy fellows, just what you want. Gano breeding.

S. A. McClurg

Maryville,

Parmers' phone 22-22. R. R. 3

There Is No Question

but that indigestion and the distressed feeling which always goes with it can be promptly relieved by taking a

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet

before and after each meal. 25c a box.

MARKET REPORTS

Kansas City Live Stock.
TODAY'S MARKETS BY WIRE.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Nov. 12.—WHEAT—December 98⅝c; May, $1.00¾.

CORN—December, 56⅝c; May, 59¾c.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Nov. 12.—CATTLE—Receipts, 600. Market steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,500. Market 5@10c higher; top, $6.80; bulk, $6.50@7.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000. Market steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Nov. 12.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 500.

HOGS—Receipts, 20,000. Market 5c higher; top, $7.25. Estimate tomorrow, 10,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 7,000. Market steady.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Nov. 12.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200. Market steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,500. Market 5c higher; top, $6.70.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,200. Market steady.

Steers Averaged 1,374 Pounds.

Ballard Bros., of Nodaway county, Mo., marketed 34 steers, averaging 1,374 pounds, at $8.40.—St. Joseph Stock Journal.

Chiropractic

If you are hunting health, you will be satisfied with the game, if you try Chiropractic adjustments,

W. J. LININGER,
409½ North Main St.

For Sale or Exchange

Guaranteed description of Colorado ranch:

960 acres, 1 mile east from Arriba, Lincoln county, Col. All tillable land, lays a No. 1. 450 acres in cultivation, balance in pasture. 220 acres in fall wheat up and looking fine. Improvements are good, 5-room 1½-story house. Two good barns, one cattle barn, all painted and in fair condition. Buildings insured for $1,700.00. All fenced and cross fenced with cedar posts and wire except the east 80 acres. Two good living wells, one with windmill and tank. The Lincoln state highway passes this farm from Kansas City to Denver, Col. One mile Rock Island R. R. Owner wants small farm in northwest Missouri or southern Iowa. What have you to offer in exchange? Or will sell for cash and give time on large part. See

HOLMES & WOLFERT
Maryville, Mo.,

For terms and price.

PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm I will sell at public sale on the Jimmy Thompson place, 3 miles southwest of Wilcox and 4 miles east of Quitman and 7 miles northwest of Maryville, on

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1915

2 HEAD HORSES—Horse 10 years old, weight 1,400; 4-year-old mare, weight 1,200.

6 HEAD CATTLE—Full- blooded Jersey cow, will be fresh soon, one-half blood Jersey springer, old Jersey springer, 2 Jersey steers, Jersey bull.

52 HEAD HOGS—5 old sows, barrow, 8 pigs, balance stock hogs. A fine lot; all of these hogs are healthy and thrifty.

IMPLEMENTS—New Ideal Deering binder, 7-foot cut; walking lister, tiger rake, McCormicy mower, nearly new; riding cultivator, walking cultivator, Galloway cream separator, 2 new Old Trusty incubators, brooder, set work harness, set buggy harness, some hedge posts, Lightning feed grinder, bobsled, 1 seed drill, nearly new; 1 16-inch stirring plow.

GRAIN AND HAY—7 tons alfalfa in barn, some corn fodder, 1 stack of straw, 25 acres of stalk field, 150 bushels Pool seed wheat, 1,500 or 1,800 bushels good sound corn in crib.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months given on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Lunch by ladies of Wilcox church.

S. H. Kemp, Clerk.
R. P. Hosmer, Auct.

E. Kuster

Administrator's Public Sale

As administratitr of the B. F. Bagby estate, I will sell at his late home, 2 miles east and ¾ mile south of Skidmore, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., on

Thursday, November 18

The following described property:

4 HEAD OR HORSES—Consistingof one big fine coming 3-year-old horse, 1 suckling colt, 1 big mare, smooth mouth; 1 big work horse.

114 HEAD OF HOGS—Consisting of 9 male hogs, 16 brood sows, 89 shoats.

76 HEAD CATTLE—Consisting of 29 cows, 21 yearlings and 26 calves.

55 acres of corn, half interest in 6 stacks hay; half interest in hay in barn, some good seed wheat, 1 wagon.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 6 months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note with 8 per cent interest. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.
H. W. Montgomery, Clerk.

James R. Bagby,
Administrator

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

Miscellaneous.

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

WANTED—Paper carrier. K. C. Star office, W. G. A. Edwards, agent 10-12*

WANTED—A cook. Middle aged woman preferred. Perrin Hall. 12-15

WANTED—Rag carpets and rag rugs to weave. Price 12c per yard. Mrs. Harold Ewing, 1321 East Third. 10-12*

WILL have car of Tarkio Champion Molasses feed on track Monday, Nov. 15. R. S. Braniger. 12-15

STRAYED—Brown collie dog. Finder notify Maynard Vert, Farmer's phone 9-13, Maryville. 9-11.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—6-room modern house, corner Vine and Fifth. Inquire J. D. Dickerson, Farmers phone 185. 6-tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Two second-hand wagons. Price very reasonable. W. W. Jones & Co. 11-13

FOR SALE—4 pure bred Poland-China male hogs. Immune from cholera. J. E. Wyatt, Mutual phone, Arkoe. 11-17

FOR SALE—New corn. Will deliver in five bushel lots or more. Farmers phone 219. 10-12*

FOR SALE—Poland-China sow, registered and immuned; also four gilts. Farmers phone 219. 10-12*

FOR SALE—Household goods. F. L. Flynt, 102 South Walnut. 10-12

FOR SALE—Shorthorn bulls. Martin Gross & Sons. 10-12.*

FOR SALE—Duroc-Jersey boars, Col. Wonder breeding, eligible to record. R. L. Hurst, Bolckow. Phone 327.

FOR SALE—Singer sewing machine, good as new. Call 14-22, Skidmore. 6-12*

FOR SALE OR RENT—Now empty 6-room house adjoining Normal grounds; 15 lots. J. T. Hayes, West Twelfth street. 25-tf

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, eligible to record. A. B. Dowden and Dale Partridge, route 3, Maryville. Farmers phone. 22-tf

FOR SALE—Wood of all kinds. Prices right. Saunders Bros., Hanamo 3698. 21tf.

FOR SALE—160 acres, 3½ miles north of Barnard, $125 an acre, well improved. A. N. Lieby, Barnard, Mo. 29-23

FOR SALE—A few registered spotted Poland-China spring boars. Good ones. All stock immune. Jos Jackson, Jr., Jos. Jackson, Sr. 5-12*

FOR SALE—280 acres choice improved farm land; 20 acres young timber, balance plow land and pasture. No bottom land. Two automobile trails pass the farm. Rural mail, telephone, abundance of well water pumped to barn by windmill. Large barn, eight-room house, tenant house and numerous outbuildings. This land has not been run down by poor farming. May be sold in two tracts or all in one. Address A. R. W., this paper. 4-tf d & w

FOR SALE—2 sets heavy single express harness. Townsend's, Fourth and Main streets, 10-12

Lost.

LOST—Black leather gauntlet glove for right hand, Grinnell make, flexible cuff. Return to this office. 10-12

LOST—Pocketbook containing three five-dollar bills and small change. Return to this office. 12-15*

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our beloved wife and mother, also for the beautiful floral offerings.—A. M. Hopper, C. E. Hopper and Wife, Lois Long, Gladys Hard.

Dead rats—use Rat Annihilator. Sold by Koch Pharmacy.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

DAILY DEMOCRAT-FORUM

NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

VOLUME 6. MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, FRIDAY, NOV. 12, 1915. NO. 139.

CAN ELECTION BE BEFORE JAN. 1917?

QUESTION OF STATE PRIMARY IN AUGUST NEW PROBLEM.

LAWYERS SAY DATE IN FEB. IMPRUDENT

February 3 the Only Day and Council Would Have to Meet Morning of Jan. 5 to Publish Notices.

Is it possible that the local option election will have to be delayed until more than a year from next month in order to satisfy the demands of the law? Some of the indications are that it will.

An informal meeting of lawyers was held yesterday in the office of J. H. Sayler and W. H. Crawford. Ellis G. Cook and F. P. Robinson were in the party. A discussion of the legal phases of the liquor question arose and all of the law on the problem was carefully consulted.

The joint opinion of the men was that the election should go over until June, and Mayor U. S. Wright was so informed. The belief of the lawyers was that the legal requirements were so close for the February date that it would be a matter of prudence not to call the election at that date for fear of legal entanglements, requiring that the election would have to be fought out in the courts later.

The city attorney, W. H. Crawford, and the other lawyers explain the difficulty thus: The last liquor election was held in Maryville January 5, 1912. The time in which the city council is not permitted to call another local option election expires at midnight on January 4, 1916.

If the city council should meet in a special or adjourned session on January 5, a notice of election could be placed in the weekly papers of the next day, Thursday, January 6. To meet the requirement of four consecutive weeks, which has been held by the courts to mean publishing in five consecutive weekly issues, the last notice would be published on Thursday, February 3. This is too late to permit an election sixty days before the city election.

February 3 Only Date.

February 4 is too late, as another ruling of the courts is that the law means that sixty days must intervene between a liquor election day and a general election day. Therefore February 4 is the last chance. But it would not be legal for the election to be held on the last day on which the legal notice in the papers appear.

The lawyers could see but one chance for a February date. That would be to hold a special or adjourned meeting of the city council in the morning or at noon of January 5 and get the election notice in the daily papers of that day. The required four consecutive weeks would then expire on February 2.

But most of the lawyers hold that the notice would have to be published every day of the twenty-eight days if published in a town where weeklies are also published, because the regular and accustomed place for legal notices is in a weekly paper. By that means the legal requirements could be met and the election held on February 3. But there would be no leeway on either side.

Lawyers say that the dates make a most peculiar instance. Just exactly the required twenty-eight days intervene from the date when another liquor election can be called in Maryville to February 3, and just exactly the required sixty days intervene from February 3 to the date of the city election, April 4. Only the fact that 1916 is leap year and February has twenty-nine days makes it possible at all.

Peery Springs a New Problem.

So many "dry" leaders have favored letting the election go over until after the April election and having a summer day for the voting. But M. A. Peery, member of the board of aldermen, has raised another question which would throw the local option election over to January, 1917.

"Is the state primary election in August an election within the meaning of the local option law, which states that "no local option election shall be held within sixty days of any municipal or state election?" That is the problem which the lawyers are tackling today.

Although no definite case has been found, the impression of most of the lawyers is that the courts have held the primary to be such a general state election. If this is true, there is no date in June which is sixty days from April 4 and August 1.

The primary next year will be on the first day of August, as the law reads "on the first Tuesday in August," not on the first Tuesday after the first Monday, as is the case with the general election. No liquor election date could be found between the August primary and the November election, and the local option election in Maryville would have to wait until sixty days after the general election, or early in January, 1917.

League Prefers February.

Isn't that a situation for lawyers to have a good time over? It seems that the mass meeting of temperance people which is to be called to vote upon the date to call the election will have to rely on the judgment of the lawyers of the city.

It is understood that the Missouri Anti-Saloon League prefers the February date, as they expect to have a campaign on to choose dry men in the primary for the state legislature. If congress submits the national prohibition amendment to the states, the fight will be made for men pledged to vote for that. If not, a legislature will be sought who will either pass a prohibition law for Missouri or call a statewide election on a special day.

LONG LIST OF PLAYERS

"Lovey Mine," Home-Talent Film Is Humorous Gem From Opera, "The Three Twins."

"Lovey Mine," the home talent film which will be shown at the Fern theater the first three days of next week, is the gem from the opera "The Three Twins." The photography is fine and those who have seen it say that F. R. Marcell will soon be getting a job with the World Film Corporation or some big company.

James Ells, manager of the theater and director of the film, which is all home talent, says that it is some funny reel in spots, and at other times the Maryville folks show real histronic ability. All of the scenes have local settings. The persons taking part in the film are:

Ethel Wells, Blanche Shipps, Amy Clark, Anna Parle, Mrs. Bone, Dr. Bone, Maude Helpley, Mary Stundon, Blanche Gray, Martha Helpley, Virginia Lawson, Robert Burris, Virginia B. Dean, Marie Cloud, Gladys Yeaman, Mildred Adams, Ada Clayton, Ralph Aley, John Mutz, Bud Rhodes, George Palfreyman, Fred Lewis, Harvey McClary, Dorothy McDonald, Ralph Yehle, Clarence Cook, Perry Culver, Bryon Price, William Stilweli, Mary D. Malotte, Robert Muel Godsey, Baby White, Ed William Dietz, Elwyn Broyles, Leslie Woodard, Ferol Bishop, Lorene Bickford.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD.

Mrs. H. F. Whitney Buried in Oak Hill Cemetery.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. H. F. Whitney were held this afternoon at the family residence, 202 South Prairie street, conducted by the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor of the First Methodist church.

The pall bearers were: W. A. Miller, Walton Frank, G. B. Holmes, James Montgomery and Ed Wolfert.

The body was buried in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mrs. F. M. Compton departed Friday morning for Lawrence, Kan., where she will be the guests of her mother, Mrs. Docia Rogan.

To-Night **Fern Theatre** **5 and 10c**

ANN MURDOCK in

"A Royal Family", in five acts

This is not costume play, but a modern societo drama. THE SPIRIT OF THE VIOLIN, 2 acts. Saturday—The College Orphan, Six Acts

"Lovey Mine"

GEM FROM THE OPERA "THE THREE TWINS"

40 Maryville People—Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 7.15-8:30

Fern Theatre **10 and 15c**

A PLOT SENSATION

PRESIDENT WILSON TAKES PART IN INVESTIGATION.

MANY CONSULS ACCUSED

Former Austrian Emissary Says All Teutons Are Fomenting Strikes and Destruction of Plants.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Nov. 12.—One of the profound sensations of the war was caused in the capital today by the statement in the Providence (R. I.) Journal over the signature of M. Goricar, former Austro-Hungarian consul to the United States, stationed at San Francisco.

The ex-minister charges that all of the Teutonic consuls in this country are mixed up in a plot to create strikes and to destroy munition plants. The charges coming at the end of a series of fires in concerns making war material for the allies is particularly significant.

Goricar charges that Von Bernstorf, German ambassador, and Von Nuber are themselves directing the work.

Wilson Takes a Hand.

President Wilson has taken personal charge of the investigations, and has ordered the agents of the department of justice to make a thorough search for evidence.

If the charges are proven in whole or part, it is intimated that a bigger sensation and shake-up than the recall of Dr. Dumba, former Austrian ambassador, will follow.

Count Von Bernstorf is out of the city and the attaches of the German embassy refuse to discuss the charges. It is intimated, however, that Bernstorf will enter a formal denial, vigorously attacking the Providence Journal and the sources of the information.

Counselor Zwiedinek of the Austrian embassy branded the story as completely false. He will call upon Secretary of State Lansing this afternoon to enter a formal denial. He says that Goricar is not to be believed and that he has been entirely discredited.

Recalls Dumba Disclosures.

The new sensation recalls the history of Dr. Dumba, who was recalled by the Austrian government at the request of the United States after letters to his government revealing the fomenting of strikes were found in the possession of a war correspondent.

BODY BROUGHT HERE.

Funeral Services For William Dickson Held at Myrtle Tree Cemetery.

The body of William Dickson, who died yesterday at a hospital in St. Joseph, was brought to Maryville today noon and taken to the Myrtle Tree cemetery northeast of the city, where the interment was made.

A short funeral service was conducted at the cemetery.

COMMITTEE MEETING CALLED.

Workers for Municipal Christmas Tree to Confer Tomorrow Afternoon.

There will be a meeting of the general committee on arrangements for the municipal Christmas tree at 5 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the office of the Commercial club.

The meeting is to make preliminary plans for the holding of the Christmas celebration.

A New Resident Here.

Geo. W. McMillen and A. A. Campbell have made the biggest trade that has been done here for a long time. McMillen traded his 200-acre farm, known as the Alex Graves place, in the North Grove district, for Campbell's suburban property, near Maryville. There is 10 acres of it, valued at $10,000. Mr. McMillen lives in Maryville now, and Mr. Campbell will later move to the farm.—Elmo Register.

Attended Insurance Meeting.

Judge W. M. Blackford and C. D. Hooker returned today at noon from Marshall, Mo., where they attended the meeting of county mutual insurance companies. They represented the Nodaway County Mutual Fire and Lightning Insurance Company.

Mrs. Con Reidlinger and son were guests of friends here yesterday.

MARRIED 50 YEARS TODAY

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Goff Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary at Home in Gaynor.

Today Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Goff, living northeast of Parnell, reached the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding day, and it is being made a jubilee occasion by the presence of a large number of friends and relatives, who are gathered at the Goff farm to spend the day.

At noon an elaborate dinner was served and Mr. and Mrs. Goff were remembered with many handsome gifts.

They were married at Victooria, Knox county, Illinois, and moved to They were married at Victoria, Missouri, settling at Parnell. Mr. Goff conducted a general store there for some time, and then moved to Gaynor, where he is in the merchandise business.

TO DISCUSS HYPNOTISM

DR. H. H. P. SEVERIN OF NORMAL TO DEMONSTRATE LAWS.

Powers of Superior Mentality On Dogs, Cats and Animals to Be Shown in Lecture—Public Invited.

Dr. H. H. P. Severin, professor of biology at the State Normal school, will deliver two lectures and demonstrations of general interest in his class room at the normal administration building tomorrow morning at 8 and 10 o'clock. Hypnotism and the domination of superior mentality will be the subject.

The second lecture and demonstration will be given for the benefit of the pupils and others who cannot get to the early morning hour. The public is invited to both lectures.

Dogs, cats and other animals will be used in the demonstration, and the power of the human mind over animals, when scientifically used, will be demonstrated. In addition, the attitude of modern science to the principles of hypnotism will be discussed at length.

FIRST QUARTER AT LASHER

Wray Parker, First, and Howard Masters, Second, Lead in Examinations—Twenty Enrolled.

Following is the report of the Lasher school for the quarter ending November 5, 1915:

Number pupils enrolled, 20.

Total number days attendance by all pupils for the quarter, 735¼.

Average daily attendance, 17+.

Number cases of tardiness, 30.

Names of those attending every day: John and George Knepper.

Visitors during the quarter were Dora Masters, Mrs. William Knepper, Lawrence Knepper, Mrs. L. E. White and children, Mrs. O. D. Walker and children, Mrs. Charles Barrow and children, Mrs. Lloyd Martin, Misses Blanche Curnutt and Iva Williams.

In the quarterly examination Wray Parker averaged first and Howard Masters second in the eighth grade; Ernest Schenkel first and Robert Strauch second in the seventh grade; Lucile Masters first, Lorena Gault second and Otis Schenkel third in the fifth grade; John Knepper first and Pearl Deneen second in the fourth grade; Effie Sharp first and George Knepper second in the third grade; Dorris Walker first in the second grade, Clara Schenkel first in the first grade.

One of the best ways for parents to co-operate with the teacher is to see that the children start in time to arrive at school by 9 o'clock.

NEOMI HORNE, Teacher.

To See Football Game.

Kenneth Van Cleve, Goff Crawford, William Van Cleve and Forrest Gillam went to Stanberry today to witness the Stanberry-Bethany foot ball game.

Star Theatre

A Prince of Peace, Lubin Drama 2 acts. Stage Money, Vitagraph comedy 1 act. The Undertakers Uncle, Western comedy 1 act. Tomorrow, Charles Chaplin in a "Mixup."

City Taxes are Now Due

Collector's office on East Side of Square at Cook's Produce House. **Come early and avoid the rush**

E. W. Barrock
City Collector

GERMAN FOOD RIOTS

BELGIANS IN LOUVAIN FIRED ON BY TEUTONS.

MANY STREET UPHEAVALS

Berlin Government Denies Shortage, But Conferences On Situation Are Being Held.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Amsterdam, Nov. 12.—Many Belgians were hurt in street fights at Louvain over the scarcity of food. Riots for more food have been frequent.

During a demonstration the German military authorities ordered the police to fire upon the crowd. They did so and the crowd attacked them.

Germans Claim No Food Shortage.

Berlin, Nov. 12.—Absolute control of all food and food supplies by the central authorities of the empire is expected as a result of a conference between Von Betham-Hollweg and Baron Burian.

The kaiser's governments again insist that there is no shortage of food and that the measures are purely precautionary.

TOO BIG TO TAKE ORDERS.

How the Gubernatorial Situation is Sized Up in Southwest Missouri.

From the Springfield Republican.

Atkinson, chairman of the public service commission, has the call at this time for the gubernatorial nomination on the Democratic ticket in this state in 1916.

If either W. C. Ellison or W. A. Blagg of Maryville or Senator McDavid of Springfield should enter the race the Missouri Democracy might have a fighting chance in the next election, but the Mayor administration would not take kindly to the candidacy of men of this type. They are too big to take orders.

INSTITUTE OPENS TODAY.

Good Agricultural Exhibits and Domestic Science Displays Made.

The third annual domestic science and agricultural institute given under the supervision of the Mothers' club of Pickering opened today with a good attendance and many domestic science, sewing and agricultural exhibits. Three clubs and the school entered fancy work, which is on display in the league room of the Methodist church. The agricultural display is in the Wray Brothers' hardware store. The premiums and ribbons will be awarded tonight.

Miss Bab Bell gave two demonstrations today. This morning she demonstrated and lectured on cake making, and this afternoon she demonstrated the making of ices.

DEATH OF NATHAN BAKER.

Died at the Home of His Brother in Barnard.

The funeral services of Nathan Baker, who died at the home of his brother, Martin Baker, in Barnard, yesterday, were held today at 1 o'clock at the residence.

Nathan Baker was 84 years old and had been suffering for some time with a complication of diseases. He is survived by three children.

Mr. Baker was a brother of the late John W. Baker of this city.

Tonight's Speaker Arrives.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Prosser of Fayette, Mo., arrived in Maryville at noon today. Mr. Prosser is to be one of the speakers at the Men's Brotherhood meeting to be held tonight at the Buchanan Street Methodist church. The Rev. J. D. Randolph, former pastor of the Maryville church, now pastor at Fayette, will come to Maryville this evening to be present at the meeting.

Guests at Elmridge Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mayor arrived today from their home in Kansas City, Kan., and will be the guests of their nephew J. J. Pyles, and family of Elmridge Farm.

W. A. Mann and Mrs. Mann left this morning for St. Joseph, where they will be the guests of Mrs. W. T. Hardesty. Mr. Mann will return Monday, but his wife will remain for a few weeks.

SHIP'S LOST PLACED AT 211

That is Government Estimate, But Ancona's Owners Say Not More Than 100 Are Dead.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Rome, Nov. 12.—The government's immigration commissioner reports that 211 are missing.

A Naples dispatch says that the owners of the Ancona place the loss at a hundred, which indicates that the boats have not reported all the passengers they have picked up.

NORMAL SOCIETY ORGANIZED

Third Literary Body Started Last Night With 26 Members—Meets Each Thursday Night.

A literary society which will be known as the Excelsior, was organized last night at the State Normal school with a membership of twenty-six students.

O. B. Elliott was elected president and Miss Greer secretary. The meetings will be held Thursday night of each week. In accordance with the established rules of the Normal literary societies the membership is limited to thirty-six.

Beside the Excelsior society, there are two other literary organizations, the Philomathean and Eurekan, each with a membership of thirty-six, and the meetings of all are held on Thursday nigh.t

CABINET MEETING HELD

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE TO CONGRESS DISCUSSED.

Reported That No Mention of Preparedness or Ancona Was Made—Manila Defenses Completed.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Nov. 12.—The first cabinet meeting since July met at noon today. The members devoted most of the time to a discussion of the coming presidential message to congress.

The sessions lasted an hour, but it is reported that no mention of the Ancona sinking nor of national defense was made.

Secretary of War Garrison reported that the new fortifications outside Manila bay, on Corregidor island, are now completely finished after eight years work.

The new 14-inch guns which guard one of the largest possessions of the United States have a range equal to the world's greatest battleships.

R. F. PROTZMAN ASKS DIVORCE.

States That His Wife Wanted Too Many Fine Clothes.

Ray F. Protzman of Maryville filed suit for divorce today from his wife, Harriet Staples Protzman, to whom he was married January 25, 1909. In his petition the plaintiff asks for the custody of the two children, 5 and 4 years old.

The wife is in Kansas City, where she has been since October 21. Mr. Protzman states to the court that the troubles between himself and wife arose over his inability to give her all the clothes she desired and her custom of running large bills at the stores.

SAVILLE, MILER, WALKED HOME.

Grant City Boy in Normal "Hikes" 35 Miles for Exercise.

Last Thursday Chauncey Saville, a student of the Maryville Normal, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Saville of Worth county, walked from Maryville to Grant City in nine hours. He visited with his parents here until Sunday, when he walked back to Maryville. The distance from Grant City to Maryville is about thirty-five miles.

The roads were in good condition and the weather was pleasant and Mr. Saville enjoyed the jaunt, he said. He was graduated from the Grant City high school two years ago; during the time he was in school here he made quite a reputation on the track.—Worth County Times.

KING DISSOLVES GREEK CHAMBER

REFUSAL TO SUPPORT CABINET THE CAUSE.

ROYAL DECREE SETS DEC. 19 ELECTION

Germans Are Fortifying Greek Island —Athens Hears of Great Bulgarian Defeat South of Veles.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Athens, Nov. 12.—The Greek chamber of deputies was dissolved by King Constantine, following the refusal of that body to support the cabinet.

The royal decree published today calls for a general election December 19.

Berlin Hears Differently.

Berlin, Nov. 12.—The Overseas agency says that the Greek cabinet is now in control of the chamber of deputies since twenty-seven members of the Venizelos party withdrew from that organization.

Germans Fortifying Island.

London, Nov. 12.—An Avalona dispatch says that the Island of Corfu is being fortified by German army officers disguised as tourists. This island is under the government of Greece.

An Athens message states that the Bulgarians have been decisively defeated south of Veles, and that furious fighting continues between the allies and the Bulgarians in southern Servia.

The Austro-German forces have penetrated 100 miles into Servia now and are advancing along a 40-mile front. They are fighting in the mountains west of Nish. According to Servian information the Teuton advance in the west has been checked.

Italy Into Balkans Next.

A Milan dispatch says that the Italian government had agreed to give the allies another support in the Balkans to insure their complete success. This indicates that Italy is planning to put a big army in the Balkan struggle.

ON AUSTRO-ITALIAN FRONT.

Italians Claim Two Important Victories.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Rome, Nov. 12.—It is officially announced that the important positions, Sector and Sanmartino, have been captured from the Austrians by the Italians. Near Plata Issonzo river Italians advanced to Gargora. Hard fighting is progressing on the greater part of the front.

LYNCH NEGRO FOR CRITICISM.

Mississippi Black Spoke Disparagingly of Women's Dress and is Killed.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Aberdeen, Miss., November 12.—John Taylor, a negro, was lynched last night for criticising the style of dresses worn by white women.

Conceded Election of Stanley.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Louisville, Nov. 12.—Morrow, the Republican candidate for governor, formally conceded the election of Stanley, Democrat, as governor of Kentucky.

Mrs. J. Kissinger returned to her home in Barnard this morning after a visit with friends here.

*** THE WEATHER ***

Fair tonight and Saturday; slightly warmer tonight.

Tonight

WILLIAM FARNUM

In the picturiza ion of Roy Norton's virile and romatic novel "THE PLUNDERERS"

The Empire Theatre

Children, 10. Adults, 15c.

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Announcement.

We are authorized to announce Robert I. Young of Buchanan county, as a Democratic candidate for Congress from the Fourth district subject to the primary election to be held August 8, 1916.

The war shows how big a fool the world can make of itself.

In this age of abundant literature the two books really worth while are too often neglected. They are the Bible and the cook book.

The Democrat-Forum has been named by a national newspaper expert as the "winning daily" in Maryville. In other words, the daily worth while.

Col. Louis E. Browning of St. Clair county, member of the legislature who secured the passage of the wolf scalp measure that was vetoed by Governor Major, would also like the Democratic nomination for governor.

Among the new senators who will take their seats in the senate when the sixty-fourth congress convenes is Oscar Underwood of Alabama, recently the Democratic leader in the house of representatives. Mr. Underwood is one of the ablest men in public life today and admittedly is the highest authority on tariff in this country. He is familiar with all the subjects that will be presented at the coming session of congress, and, moreover, is well established in the respect of the country.—St. Joseph News-Press.

Who They May Carry.

Rural carriers are often asked to take passengers out with them on their routes, and their refusal to do so is sometimes misunderstood. The following is from the Official Postal Guide and leaves no doubt whatever as to the carrier's duty in the matter:

The only persons who are authorized to accompany a carrier are postoffice inspectors and other agents of the department upon presentation of proper credentials, postmaster or their official representatives when engaged upon official business; and road supervisors or commissioners having direct charge of the highways over which routes are in operation, when actually engaged in performances of their duties in connection with the inspection of the roads.

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Seriously Ill.

Mrs. Dave Neidel left today for Creston, Ia., where she was called by the serious illness of her father, Alex Osborn. Mr. Osborn makes his home with his daughter, Mrs. George King, formerly of this city.

The advantages of EARLY SHOPPING can be no better exemplified than in buying of Photographs.

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Then why not make arrangements for that sitting now—The telephone is convenient. CALL 117 and the rest will be easy.

MARCELL,
The PHOTOGRAPHER.

NEW MINISTER OF CHINA PROMINENT

Dr. Koo Recently Named Envoy to Mexico, Cuba and Peru.

A GRADUATE OF COLUMBIA.

One of the First Students Sent to America by China Through Boxer Rebellion Indemnity—Has Host of Professional Friends, Also Good Knowledge of International Law.

Washington.—Dr. Vi Kyuin Wellington Koo, who was recently appointed as the Chinese minister to the United States, succeeding Kai Fu Shah, is a graduate of Columbia university, where he received his doctor's degree. He was one of the first students sent to America by the government of China through the Boxer rebellion indemnity, remitted by the United States, and acquitted himself with great credit. He is well known in New York and includes among his friends many leaders in educational, professional and financial circles.

The new envoy attended St. John's college, Shanghai, and was admitted to Columbia in 1904, where he took a prominent part in undergraduate life. He was editor in chief of the Columbia Spectator, the university daily paper, and was a member of the Columbia debating team which defeated Cornell in 1908. The student board of

Photo by American Press Association.

DR. VI KYUIN WELLINGTON KOO.

graduates included him as a member. He also took an active part in track athletics.

Dr. Koo was only recently named Chinese minister to Mexico, Peru and Cuba and passed through Washington on his way to London prior to taking up his official position. He was presented to Secretary of State Lansing at that time and discussed the Mexican situation with him.

As an undersecretary at the Chinese foreign office Dr. Koo was a member of the commission which conducted negotiations with the Japanese minister in Peking last spring. It is said that he is a close friend of President Yuan Shih Kai and is in sympathy with the latter's leaning toward a monarchical form of government for China.

The impression was gained here that Minister Koo's appointment came as a surprise to the present minister. It is said that Peking was dissatisfied with his reports of the attitude of the American government and public opinion in the United States during the Chino-Japanese negotiations. The legation repeatedly applied to the state department for aid and counsel at that time, but the United States took no action toward restraining Japan in her demands upon China.

In 1909 Dr. Koo was made master of arts and for three years thereafter studied under Dr. John Bassett Moore. The degree of Ph. D. was conferred upon him, and he acquired a wide reputation for his knowledge of international law.

While a student in New York city Dr. Koo was closely associated with work in Chinese American circles. He was editor of the Chinese Students' Monthly and as president of the Chinese Students' alliance did much to advance the interests of Chinese students in America.

Dr. Koo left America in April, 1912, to take up his duties as diplomatic secretary to President Yuan Shih Kai. The Chinese society gave him a luncheon on the eve of his departure.

While on the Pacific slope, intrusted with a government mission, he received word of his appointment as minister to Mexico.

At the recent Bankers' club luncheon in New York Dr. Koo said, "The Chinese people have a liking for Americans which is as intense as it is justified, and when I say this I do not speak on behalf of only a portion of the people."

YOU CAN'T FIND ANY DANDRUFF, AND HAIR STOPS COMING OUT

Save Your Hair. Make It Thick, Wavy, Glossy and Beautiful at Once.

Try as you will, after an application of Danderine you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment. A 25-cent bottle will double the beauty of your hair.

ARE USING WALNUT LOGS.

Six Carloads Sent From Burlington Junction—To Be Sent to Europe for Gun Stocks.

Six carloads of walnut logs are being shipped from here to Des Moines, and will be sent from there to Europe, where they will be used for gun stocks to assist in the wholesale murder that is now going on in that country. Sloan & Hopkins is the firm that is buying them, and they have sawed and hauled many fine logs from the Walker and Speer timbers north of town. The buyers cut and haul the logs to the railroad track, where they are measured. They have been paying $20 a thousand feet for the timber, but buy nothing less than 12 inches in diameter.—Burlington Junction Post.

Save your cattle and money with Blacklekoids. Koch Pharmacy. 9-12

George Brown and sons, Adrian and Clifford of Burlington Junction were business visitors here yesterday.

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Assortment of Extra Good values in different Styles and Sizes—Your Choice

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Look at our window display for other 49c Specials

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We have recently placed in stock a complete line of Flash Lights and Batteries—the simplest, safest and most economical portable light you ever saw. Prices range from 50c to $3.00. Let us show you.

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HARDWARE COMPANY
South Side Square

Straightening Streams With Dynamite

The ancient Egyptians were noted for their crops because, as history states, they "sowed their seeds in the Nile." This does not mean that they actually cast the seed in the river. At certain seasons of the year the Nile overflows its banks, depositing on either shore a rich silt or earth that is highly conducive to bumper crops, and the wise ancient Egyptians, realizing this profited thereby.

Water is a necessity. The tiniest brooks up to the largest rivers play an important part in the scheme of things inasmuch as they are nature's way of

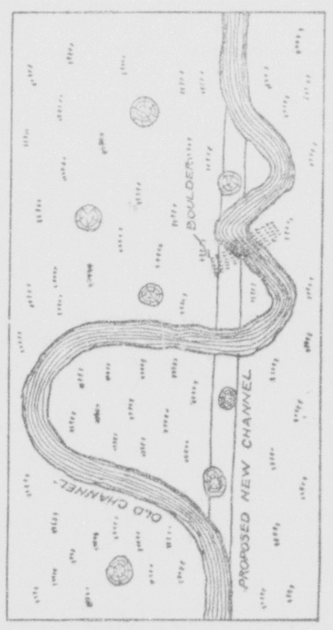

Diagram of Stream Troubles That May Be Corrected by Blasting.

both irrigation and drainage. But being formed according to nature's dictates their courses do not always jibe with man's desires or needs.

Rock ledges impede their progress. Overhanging stumps and trees retard their flow. Numerous irregularities cause them to meander about in apparently wasteful ways, and man's carelessness has added to these troubles by allowing driftwood and loose earth to form dams and sandbars.

All of these things help to hold the flood of waters back and cause either flooding or swamps, which not only occupy land that could be more profitably used for farming, but also form fine breeding places for mosquitoes and other obnoxious pests. Incidentally they cause an annual loss running into millions of dollars per year.

In this day of enlightenment such things are both wasteful and, one might add, criminal, especially so in view of the fact that almost instant relief may be had by a few well placed charges of dynamite. Not only will these blasts straighten out the kinks and bends and remove ledges and sand bars, but they will deepen and improve the channels as nature has really intended. Incidentally by straightening the winding course of a creek much area of tillable land can be obtained and farm operation in many instances made much easier

Mrs. John Stundon went to Barnard this morning, where she will attend the funeral of her late uncle, Nathan Baker.

Mrs. O. H. DeMoss left Friday morning for Kansas City, where she will visit for several days.

Mrs. B. T. Dalrymple of Pickering is the guest of friends for the day.

SPECIAL FUR SALE

Monday, November 15th, Only

Mr. C. B. Griffith from the Gordon-Furgerson Company one of the largest manufacturers of Furs in the United States will be in our store all day Monday, November 15th with their complete line of Furs—which includes everything in fur. We invite you to call and inspect this elaborate display.

Special Redfern Corset Demonstration

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

Don't Forget the Special Sale of Children's Cloaks Tomorrow

Haines
The Busy Store With Little Prices

Mr. J. E. Bailey,
Maryville, Mo.

Dear Sir: There are two sorts of furniture. You know both; for you sell 'em both. One sort looks better than it is, and the other is better than it looks. There isn't any other sort.

The same, two sorts of paint, no more; and we make 'em both—we make tons of stuff that isn't worth its freight. Belongs to the business—have to. Belongs to your business—you have to.

But this is aside. We put into cans, with our name on, the very best paint there is in the world: Devoe lead-and-zinc. It takes fewer gallon than mixed paints, and it wears twice as long as lead-and-oil.

Mr C O Brown, Columbia, S C, painted his house with Devoe lead-and zinc. The painter, on seeing the quantity sent to the house, said there wasn't enough. There were ten gallons left, when the job was done.

Yours truly,
F. W. DEVOE & CO.,
New York, Chicago and Kansas City.

P. S.—Koch's Pharmacy sells our paint.

Not All Barber Cattle Quarantined.

We are informed that the farm of F. C. Barber and Sons, near Skidmore, is not quarantined but a single pasture containing twenty-nine head is under the law. The rest of the famous herd of Shortborns, 238 head, have been tested and found perfectly healthy.

STATE ON CIGARETTES

LAW ALMOST AS STRICT AS CITY ORDINANCES.

Penalties for Sale Are Greater, and Use by Minors Under 18 Years of Age Is Prohibited.

The sale and use of cigarettes have been brought prominently into public interest recently by the action of the Columbia city council in prohibiting their sale in the university town, and more locally by the tightening of the restrictions upon them in Maryville.

It will therefore be a matter of concern to many minors to read what the Missouri state law has to say about the use and sale of the little "coffin nails."

State Cigarette Law.

Section 4734. Sale and gift of cigarettes and cigarette paper forbidden. Penalty—Any person who shall, by himself, his servant or agent, or as the servant or agent of any other person, directly or indirectly, or upon any pretense, or by device, sell, give away or otherwise dispose, unto any person under the age of eighteen years, any cigarette, cigarette paper or cigarette wrappers, or any substitute therefor, or for the purpose of being filled with tobacco for smoking, shall be adjudged guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than one hundred dollars for the first offense, and by a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than five hundred dollars for the second offense; and provided further that one-half the fine recovered shall go to the complaining witness. (Laws of 1909, p. 447.)

Sec. 4735. Use of cigarettes by minors in public places forbidden. Penalty—Every person over the age of ten years and under the age of eighteen years, who shall smoke or use cigarettes on any public road, street, alley, park or other lands used for public purposes, or in any public place of business or amusement, or upon any railroad train or street car, shall, upon conviction, be adjudged guilty of a misdemeanor and punished by a fine of not more than ten dollars. (Laws 1909, p. 447.)

Save your cattle. Use Blacklegolds, sold by Koch Pharmacy. 9-12

Notice

I have the Merchant Tax Book and am ready to receive Taxes. Merchant's License expired November 1, 1915. Please renew.

W. R. TILSON,
County Treasurer

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The BROADWAY is a double-breasted coat close fitting, high waisted, with slanting flap pocket. It's the smartest overcoat style for the present season and appeals to men who dress individually.

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C. PEREDA AND SON, FROM ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.

One of Largest Breeders of Shorthorns in That State to Look Over C. D. Bellows Herd.

Dr. Celedonia Pereda and his son from the Argentine Republic, among the largest breeders of Shorthorn cattle in that South American state, will be in Maryville next week to inspect the herd of Bellows Brothers.

For several years Dr. Pereda and his son have been buying new blood for their herds in England. This year, due to the European war, they are searching new fields and are coming to the United States.

It is with the intention of looking over the Bellows herd for selection of new stock that the South American breeders are coming to Maryville.

Preparedness

Is the question of today. I am prepared to give my customers the best in Painting and Paper hanging. M. L. Grable,
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Many On St. Joseph Market.

Nodaway county was represented by the following patrons who contributed stock on today's market: Ballard Bros., Will N. Wray, George Goodson, Earl Heflin, Merle Smith & Co., Sherlock & Fogan, G. A. Fite, Will Guyette, Isaac Tyson, W. F. Barber, Halker & Coleman, J. C. Appleton, Melvin & Nicholson, C. E. Hood, G. W. Davis, J. Godsey and G. H. Swaney.

Blacklegoids save your cattle. Sold by Koch Pharmacy. 9-12

Stag Party Well Attended.

The stag party held last night at the Elks club for the members was well attended and was a big success. Augustus Romasser was captain of one side while Edward W. Keck headed the other side in the card games, the losers to pay for the supper. After much work it was found out that it was a draw, and that the expense of the supper was on both teams.

Do Not Gripe

We have a pleasant laxative that will just do what you want it to do.

Rexall Orderlies

We sell thousands of them and we have never seen a better remedy for the bowels. Sold only by us, 10 cents.
Orear-Henry Drug Co.

C. D. Peters, formerly in the insurance and real estate business here, was in Maryville yesterday. He is traveling in the west for a chemical company and is making the trip in his Ford car.

The Fashion of the Day

Period Furniture

The patterns of the old masters. The Adams, The Sheridan, The William and Mary Jacobaen and Colonial are all displayed on our floors in all the new finishes, We invite you to inspect our lines in all departments.

We have just received a large shipment of Davenports in styles and values that will interest you.

Maryville Furniture Co.
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HOG CHOLERA

Dr. G. H. Leach of Maryville, Missouri, has taken the agency for the Guilfoil Anti-Hog Cholera Serum and will have a fresh supply in refrigeration at his office.

Guilfoil Serum Company
Kansas City, Kansas
U. S. Veterinary License 61

SUNLIGHT FOR THE FERNS

Plants Cannot Be Expected to Appear at Their Best Without the the Sun's Rays.

Some people think ferns must have sunshine, but that is not true. Ferns will live in the shade, and there are some sorts, of course, that are scorched by the sun. But most ferns that are cultivated in the house like a good deal of sunlight, and never do their best without it.

Window boxes where ferns are growing should be sprinkled lavishly twice a day. If the leaves are dry and dusty they should be well shaken before sprinkling.

If possible, get the earth with which to fill your boxes from an old hotbed—rich loam and rotted manure about half and half.

Failing that, take any that is handy and enrich it with ammonia and bone meal, mixed thoroughly. A heaping teaspoonful of the bone meal or a tablespoonful of manure is enough for a six-inch pot of earth. Neither must be kept directly on the roots of the plants. Liquid fertilizer, likewise, must be kept off the roots, stems and leaves. Make a hole at one side of a trench just inside the pot rim, pour in the fertilizer and let it sink, then put back the earth.

They Must Have It.

Besides catering to occult tastes of their residents, the managers of the hotels here also watch the epicurean peculiarities of those who live within their doors. One of the managers of a Fifth avenue hotel recalled the case of a man who indulges his whim for calf's head! This man at frequent intervals calls the hotel by telephone and asks for the manager, none other of the staff will do. "Hello," he says. "I want you to tell the head waiter and the chef that I am on my way up there and I want's calf's head au vinagrette. Do you get me? Now, remember to tell them who it is. They know the way I want it, and I'll be there in 20 minutes." Another man who lives in Brooklyn comes here frequently for filet of sole. He can't see anything else on the bill of fare or listen to any suggestions. He wants sole and sole he must have.—New York Times.

HEAD AND NOSTRILS STUFFED FROM COLD

"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends Colds and Grippe in Few Hours—Tastes Nice—Acts Gently.

Your cold will break and all grippe misery end after taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.

NO MYSTERY ABOUT THAT

Comedian Found It Easy to Recognize the "Handwriting" of His Manager.

Mr. S——, the theatrical manager, though in other respects a thorough business man, could neither read nor write, but kept a private secretary, who had strict injunctions not to betray the secret.

One day the manager was dining at his hotel, when a gold watch was raffled for. Each of the guests staked two shillings, wrote his name on a scrap of paper and threw it into a hat. Our manager was dreadfully perplexed when his turn came to sign his name. However, in order not to expose himself, he pretended to write, rolled up the blank piece of paper and threw it into the hat along with the rest.

As chance would have it, this very paper was drawn. Great was the astonishment when it was found to be blank But B——, the low comedian, who was present, asked to have it shown to him, and when he had examined it carefully, he gravely exclaimed:

"That is our manager's handwriting. I should know it among a thousand!"—London Mail.

Making It Strong.

Bacon—I'm building an ice-box.

Egbert—Oh, are you?

"Yes; what do they put in an ice-box to make it strong?"

"Onions, I believe."

Dr. F. R. Anthony stepped on a nail recently and is "wearing" a cane as a result.

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St. Mary's Church Social Monday Evening.

The young women of St. Mary's church will give a social Monday evening at the church. The diversion of the evening will be the playing of games.

Queen Esther Circle Meets With Miss Herndon.

The Queen Esther Circle will be entertained Saturday afternoon by Miss Fay Herndon at her home, on West First street. The afternoon program will begin at 2:30 o'clock.

Elks to Have Thanksgiving Dance.

The Thanksgiving dance of the Elks will be held Thanksgiving night, November 25, at their club house. Harvey McClary and Fred Bellows are the committee in charge.

D. A. R. to Meet Saturday Afternoon.

The regular meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Jr., with Mrs. James A. Ford, Miss Julia Tate, Miss Jeanette Tate and Mrs. Jackson hostesses.

Miss Brewer Hostess to Senior Class of St. Patrick's School.

Miss Agnes Brewer entertained the senior class of St. Patrick's school at her home last evening. The evening was pleasantly spent playing cards and dominoes.

The guests were: Miss Beatrice Browning, Miss Loretta Gorman, Miss Alice Donahue, Roland Merrigan, Mr. William O'Donnell and Mr. Raymond Murrin.

Thursday Evening Dinner and Line Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Zahm gave a dinner party last evening at their home, followed by a line party at the Empire theater. The home was beautifully decorated in pin kand white, the color scheme also being carried out in the menu.

Covers were laid for Miss Eathel Wood, Miss Irene Aley, Miss Verna Aley, Miss Florence Anderson and Miss Eva Dawson.

Harry Wilson Gives Dinner Party.

Harry T. Wilson was host to the following named guests at dinner Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Wilson: Miss Winifred Limerick of Savannah, Miss Mildred Wolfers of Hopkins, Miss Ferol Bilby and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barber and son, William Jr., of Skidmore, Fred Bellows and Harvey McClary of Maryville, Miss Gladys Davis of Compton, California, and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice G. Wolfers of Burlington Junction.—Burlington Junction Post.

Society Meets With Mrs. J. K. Sawyers.

The Women's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church gave a very interesting program yesterday afternoon at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. John K. Sawyers, on North Main street. The meeting was opened by the president, Miss Lucie Davis, with devotional exercises. Mrs. F. M. Martin followed with a general survey of mission work in Latin America, and Mrs. J. H. Gray gave the history of the central Brazil missions. In the absence of several others on the program, Miss Davis took the numbers and gave a general outline of Presbyterian mission work. Mrs. William Moll Case gave an interesting talk on Chinese Missions. The social hour followed and luncheon was served by Mrs. Sawyers, Mrs. Martin Lewis, Mrs. Winfield Scott and Mrs. W. B. Scott.

Mrs. W. J. Osborn Leads Shakespeare Program.

Mrs. W. J. Osborn was the leader of the program given by the Shakespeare department of the Twentieth Century club at the regular meeting held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Berney Harris. The study was the fourth act of Macbeth, the members taking one act for discussion at a meeting, and the leader conducted it in an unusually interesting way. At its conclusion Mrs. Harris gave the current topics taken from the Review of Reviews, and Mrs. J. A. Spiers conducted the word drill.

Club Department Meets With Miss Carpenter.

Miss Dora Carpenter was the hostess last night to the meeting of the Modern Drama department of the Twentieth Century club, held at her home, on East Fourth street. During the business period Miss Dorothy Pierce was chosen secretary-treasurer of the department in the place of Miss Kate Schenck, who will be absent from the city during the winter. The general topic of the evening, the "Formation and Technique of the Drama," was given by Miss Beatrix Winn, and the history of the Greek, Roman and English drama was given by Miss Alice Porter Miss Carpenter and Miss Mildred Miller. Miss Miller also gave current notes on the American stage. Among the visiting club members present were Mrs. M. G. Tate, Mrs. Berney Harris, Miss Jeanette Tate, Mrs. Lee Carpenter and the Misses Carpenter. The December meeting will be at the studio of the Conservatory of Music, with Miss Porter as hostess.

Dinner Party For Out-of-Town Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Sharp entertained at dinner Tuesday in honor of Mrs. Sharp's brother, Mr. John Smith, and Mrs. Smith of Wray, Col., who are their guests. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Strough and son, Edward; Mrs. G. W. Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Will Freeze and daughters, Clara and Evelyn, of Quitman; Mrs. Mollie Graves, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Tilton. Mr. Smith and Mrs. Sharp had not met in fifteen years.

Penelope Club Holds Social Evening.

The autumn social evening of the Penelope club was held last night at the home of Mrs. Florence Staples, on South Buchanan street, when the members entertained their husbands and a few visiting friends at a domino party. The rooms and tables were attractive with decorations of autumn leaves and flowers. Mrs. F. C. Conrad made the high score in the domino games. Mrs. Staples was assisted by Mrs. Charles McNeal, Mrs. Byron Frost, Mrs. John Price and Mrs. Harold VanSteenbergh in entertaining her guests, who were Mr. and Mrs. Dan R. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Braniger, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Catterson, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Costello, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. DeArmond, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Frost, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. John Herron, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNeal, Mr. and Mrs. John Murrin, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. John Price, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. VanSteenbergh, Mr. and Mrs. Harold VanSteenbergh, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Wright, Mrs. W. A. Burris, Mrs. Gallatin Craig, Mrs. M. Heffern, Miss Ida Fuller, W. E. Wakeman and Harold Staples.

Church Women Give Supplies to Orphanage.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Christian church met yesterday at the church and made fifty gallons of apple butter, which is to be sent to the orphanage at St. Louis, which is supported by the Christian denomination. The jam is only a part of the winter

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Treat Children's Colds Externally

Don't dose delicate little stomachs with harmful internal medicines. Vick's "Vap O-Rub" Salve, applied externally, relieves by inhalation as a vapor and by absorption through the skin. Vick's can be used freely with perfect safety on the youngest member of the family 25c, 50c, or $1.00.

VICKS "VAPORUB" SALVE

Koch Pharmacy, Orear-Henry Drug Company.

Guess Work Is DANGEROUS In Fitting Glasses

The old way of fitting glasses by guessing at the kind needed was often more harmful than going without them. NO GUESS WORK NOW, submit the test, the correction, and the cost to you before you are asked to pay a single cent. You take no risk nor incur any obligation by coming to me about your eyes.

H. L. Raines
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN
110 W. 3RD ST. JUST A STEP PAST MAIN
MARYVILLE, MO.

Gifts

Suitable for any occasion are to be found in good variety at this store.

Glass and Crystal of the newest shapes and cut things.

Sterling and Sheffield Silver pieces whose goodness becomesmore apparent with each succeeding year.

A cordial invitation is extended you to visit our splendid showing.

DeHart & Holmes
Maryville's Live Jeweler

"I believe the Panama-Pacific Exposition to be the most wonderful creation of the kind ever seen in the world."
—Edwin Markham.

New through sleeping car service from Kansas City to Portland is an added reason for visiting the Great Pacific Northwest on your way to California and the Expositions. Thus, with the maximum of travel comfort, and for very little in addition to your exposition fare you can see practically the whole of our western country—at a cost which has not been so low in years and which may *never* be so low again. This is possible only by the

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which takes you first to Oregon and Washington through some of the finest scenery in the world, then down the coast, by rail or water, to the Exposition cities, then home by another route. Fast time to Portland and Seattle and the *only* through Standard and Tourist sleeping cars, Kansas City to Portland, by either of these trains:

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Leaves Kansas City 6.00 p. m. daily, arrives Portland 12.15 noon; arrives Seattle 8.10 p. m. third day, arrives San Francisco 9.30 a. m. third day

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Leaves Kansas City 10.40 a. m. daily, arrives San Francisco 9.30 a. m. third day; arrives Portland 12.15 noon; arrives Seattle 8.10 p. m. third day.

$68.98 will pay your fare for this whole trip—if you start quick. The rate ends November 30, with return limit December 31.

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Joins East and West with a Boulevard of Steel (183)

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Visit Old Faithful Inn, Yellowstone National Park Exhibit, Panama-Pacific Exposition

Please send me, without cost or obligation, booklets descriptive of California and the Expositions and the Great Pacific Northwest.
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Special Sale
Fur Coats
ON
Monday, November 15th

We will have at our store a representative of GORDON & FURGUSON, St. Paul, one of the largest manufacturers FUR COATS, FUR LINED CLOTH COATS, FUR CAPS and GLOVES, in the United States.

If you are looking for something special in any of the above lines, don't fail to be here ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 15. They have the line and prices are right.

Corwin-Murrin Clothing Co.

Factory Representative of the White Sewing Machine

IS NOW AT OUR STORE ready to demonstrate this great machine. He will be pleased to see you at this store or will call at your house by appointment.

If you have an old machine that needs repairing, bring it to the store and it will be put into first class condition at a reasonable cost.

We shall be pleased to have you call and have the surpassing merits of the WHITE explained by a man who knows all about Sewing Machines.

Price & McNeal

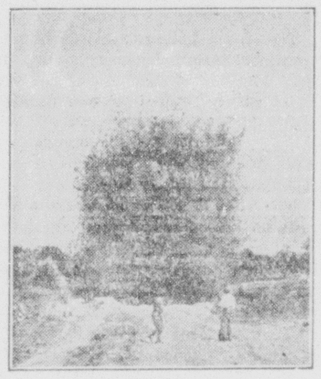
FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING

Main and Second Maryville, Mo.

Explosives In Road Building

One of the newer methods of road building that is fast winning the indorsement of the better versed contractor is that of employing dynamite for reducing the heavy work.

Grading through hard ground or rock, for instance, is tedious and requires time and labor. The use of dynamite for blasting such material is a welcome relief. Both rock and hard clay may be loosened in the cut by well placed charges of explosives if holes are drilled into the ground a little way up the bank and loaded. Careful spacing and loading for electrically fired blasts will result in bringing down both classes of materials in the best possible manner



In loosening shale and rock to facilitate hand or steam shovel work dynamite is also very effective, while stumps may be blasted from the roadbed just as though they were being removed from a field to be cleared and cultivated.

Boulders also are easily shattered by suitable loading and when of hard rock may be crushed into surfacing stone. The side ditches as well as the long outfall ditches can also be blasted in keeping with the nature of the ground. In fact, there are no limits practically to the many uses and advantages of dynamite for road building when careful and thoughtful attention is given to the work.

Incidentally the planting of shade trees for roadside improvement and attractiveness is greatly facilitated by the judicious use of a little dynamite. It is a recognized fact that trees planted in blasted holes grow much more rapidly and progress more favorably than those planted in the average spade dug ground.

USE "CASCARETS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS WHEN CONSTIPATED

When Bilious, Headachy, Sick for Sour Stomach, Bad Breath, Bad Colds.

Get a 10-cent box.

Take a Cascaret tonight to cleanse your Liver, Stomach and Bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, a bad cold, are bilious, nervous, upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out. Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels.

Remember, a Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning. A 10-cent box from your druggist means healthy bowel action; a clear head and cheerfulness for months. Don't forget the children.

Marriage Licenses.

David Miller.....Conception Jct.
Teresa Walter.....Conception Jct.
Ahl F. Hyde.....Clyde
Elizabeth Simonieg....Conception Jct.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

If Your Hair is Falling Out

we know of no better remedy than Rexall "93" Hair Tonic

A preparation which we gladly recommend to you. 50c. a bottle.

Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Burrowers---Beware!

Gophers and prairie dogs are the bane of western farmers, while in the east woodchucks are the type of burrowing animals that cause the tillers of the soil to forget some of the things the dominie tells them on Sundays.

Don Leonardo Ruiz, a California rancher, says "dynamite is the proper medicine to give ground squirrels, gophers, prairie dogs, etc."

Take an inch and a half or two inches of dynamite. Put it in a bit of cloth or several thicknesses of paper to form a small round cartridge. Tie the cloth or paper firmly about one end of a piece of fuse twelve or fourteen inches long, but do not use a cap.

Insert one of these charges well into the mouth of every hole and pack loose dirt around the fuse, leaving enough of the end outside to light easily. Light the fuse and go on to the next hole. There will be no explosion. There being no cap or other detonator, the dynamite will simply burn, filling the hole with dense, poisonous fumes that will almost instantly stifle and then kill every living thing inside

MARKET REPORTS

Kansas City Live Stock.
TODAY'S MARKETS BY WIRE.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Nov. 12.—WHEAT—December 98⅝c; May, $1.00¾.

CORN—December, 56⅜c; May, 59¾c.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Nov. 12.—CATTLE—Receipts, 600. Market steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,500. Market 5@10c higher; top, $6.80; bulk, $6.50@7.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000. Market steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Nov. 12.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 500.

HOGS—Receipts, 20,000. Market 5c higher; top, $7.25. Estimate tomorrow, 10,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 7,000. Market steady.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Nov. 12.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200. Market steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,500. Market 5c higher; top, $6.70.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,200. Market steady.

Steers Averaged 1,374 Pounds.

Ballard Bros., of Nodaway county, Mo., marketed 34 steers, averaging 1,374 pounds, at $8.40.—St. Joseph Stock Journal.

Chiropractic

If you are hunting health, you will be satisfied with the game, if you try Chiropractic adjustments,

W. J. LININGER,
409½ North Main St.

For Sale or Exchange

Guaranteed description of Colorado ranch:

960 acres, 1 mile east from Arriba, Lincoln county, Col. All tillable land, lays a No. 1. 450 acres in cultivation, balance in pasture. 220 acres in fall wheat up and looking fine. Improvements are good, 5-room 1½-story house. Two good barns, one cattle barn, all painted and in fair condition. Buildings insured for $1,700.00. All fenced and cross fenced with cedar posts and wire except the east 80 acres. Two good living wells, one with windmill and tank. The Lincoln state highway passes this farm from Kansas City to Denver, Col. One mile Rock Island R. R. Owner wants small farm in northwest Missouri or southern Iowa. What have you to offer in exchange? Or will sell for cash and give time on large part. See

HOLMES & WOLFERT
Maryville, Mo.,

For terms and price.

Durocs for Sale

BIG TYPE SPRING BOARS

Not 125 pound pigs, but hogs that will weigh around 250 pounds, and not fat. With plenty of length and height and bone to spare. Good hams and back. Good color. In fact, they are big smooth, stretchy fellows, just what you want. Gano breeding.

S. A. McClurg
Maryville,
Parmers' phone 22-22. R. R. 3

There Is No Question

but that indigestion and the distressed feeling which always goes with it can be promptly relieved by taking a Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet before and after each meal. 25c a box.

PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm I will sell at public sale on the Jimmy Thompson place, 3 miles southwest of Wilcox and 4 miles east of Quitman and 7 miles northwest of Maryville, on

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1915

2 HEAD HORSES—Horse 10 years old, weight 1,400; 4-year-old mare, weight 1,200.

6 HEAD CATTLE—Full- blooded Jersey cow, will be fresh soon, one-half blood Jersey springer, old Jersey springer, 2 Jersey steers, Jersey bull.

52 HEAD HOGS—5 old sows, barrow, 8 pigs, balance stock hogs. A fine lot; all of these hogs are healthy and thrifty.

IMPLEMENTS—New Ideal Deering binder, 7-foot cut; walking lister, tiger rake, McCormicy mower, nearly new; riding cultivator, walking cultivator, Galloway cream separator, 2 new Old Trusty incubators, brooder, set work harness, set buggy harness, some hedge posts, Lightning feed grinder, bobsled, 1 seed drill, nearly new; 1 16-inch stirring plow.

GRAIN AND HAY—7 tons alfalfa in barn, some corn fodder, 1 stack of straw, 25 acres of stalk field, 150 bushels Pool seed wheat, 1,500 or 1,800 bushels good sound corn in crib.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months given on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Lunch by ladies of Wilcox church.

S. H. Kemp, Clerk.
R. P. Hosmer, Auct.

E. Kuster

Administrator's Public Sale

As administratitr of the B. F. Bagby estate, I will sell at his late home, 2 miles east and ¾ mile south of Skidmore, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., on

Thursday, November 18

The following described property:

4 HEAD OR HORSES—Consistingof one big fine coming 3-year-old horse, 1 suckling colt, 1 big mare, smooth mouth; 1 big work horse.

114 HEAD OF HOGS—Consisting of 9 male hogs, 16 brood sows, 89 shoats.

76 HEAD CATTLE—Consisting of 29 cows, 21 yearlings and 26 calves.

55 acres of corn, half interest in 6 stacks hay; half interest in hay in barn, some good seed wheat, 1 wagon.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 6 months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note with 8 per cent interest. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.
H. W. Montgomery, Clerk.

James R. Bagby,
Administrator

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

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shipment which the women are making. Other fruits, clothing, toys and Christmas treats are to be included in the shipment, which will be sent in next week. The women are also preparing for their annual yuletide fair, which is to be held on December 1 and 2 at the church. A large supply of fancy work, comforts and useful articles are to be sold and the women are making a specialty of made rugs this year, offering many fine ones. Meals will be served on both days.

Farewell Party.
For Departing Guests.

Wiley Slagle of Ravenwood was the host of a party given last night at his home, arranged as a farewell pleasure for Misses Hazel Henson and Fleta Loch and Merle Henson, all of whom are leaving Ravenwood soon. The time was spent informally and the guests, beside the honored ones were Misses Helen Tebow, Kate McElvain, Marie Oglesby, Halley Spear, Ethel Holdsclaw, Georgeis Richards, Maud Winters, Bessie Van Houten, Vashti and Juanita Conn, Fred Winters, Rex Bond, George Conn, Hoyt Craig, Harold Tebow and Marion Richards. The Hensons expect to go to New Mexico to reside and Miss Loch will move to Maryville.

Class Surprises
Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Flynt.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Flynt were given a surprise party last night in the parlors of the First Christian church, which was arranged as a farewell courtesy before the departure of the Flynts to their new home in Kansas City. The evening was spent informally and a luncheon enjoyed. Both Mr. and Mrs. Flynt are members of the class, and their withdrawal from the membership is keenly regretted by all. Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Bone give a dinner party tonight in honor of the Flynts. They expect to leave for Kansas City tomorrow.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

Farm at Public Auction

THE MARGARET O'CONNOR farm will be sold at Public Auction, Saturday, November 13, 1915 at about 1:30 p. m., at the west front door of the Court House in Maryville, Missouri. This land being the south half of the south-east quarter of section 26, township 64, range 35, Nodaway County, Mo., (except one acre for school purposes.) Terms cash.

J. F. ROELOFSON,
Pub. Admr.

THE BANK FOR ALL THE PEOPLE

INDIVIDUAL SERVICE TO FIT YOUR NEEDS

Healthy Condition

I WOULD rather be a little fellow climbing up than the big fellow slipping back.

The fellow who is slipping has nothing to look forward to, whereas, the little fellow who is climbing higher up, sees daily encouragement and progress.

So don't be discouraged if you are just making the start.

This bank takes pride in its large number of customers who are young people or beginners.

Farmers Trust Co.

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

Capital - - - $200.000.00

SAFETY · COURTESY · SERVICE

Digging a Ditch In a Flash

Things move quickly nowadays. The village of yesterday is tomorrow's metropolis. Speed is a requisite, and newer methods that smack of rapidity and labor and money saving are in demand.

Ditches that once consumed many days of hand or machine labor are now being blasted out in almost the twinkling of an eye. By degrees man is learning to adopt some of nature's simple, but mighty forces. And the gullies and valleys that old Mother Earth has created by her natural upheavals and eruptions are being duplicated in a smaller way by some of the more progressive and up to date farmers.

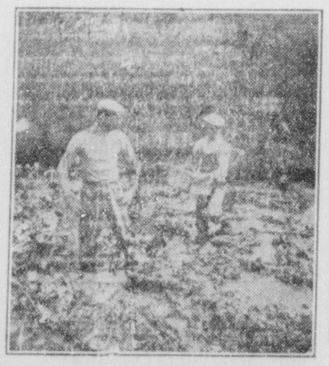
Digging ditches with dynamite is simply a newer and more improved method of trench building. The method employed in wet work is simply to punch holes from eighteen to twenty-four inches deep along the line desired to ditch and then load each hole with a charge of 50 per cent straight dynamite.

Long stretches of ditch can be loaded and fired at one time. One cap placed in a cartridge of dynamite in the middle hole of the line of charged holes and fired will do the work.

A single row of holes can usually be depended upon to excavate a ditch from seven to nine feet wide and about thirty to forty inches deep. Where larger ditches are required the holes can be made deeper and loaded heavier, or two or more lines of holes, spaced from three to four feet apart, can be used. Incidentally the holes can be made in the roughest kind of swamp or in flood muck beds, where other methods of ditching are practically impossible.

When the soil is dry or the weather is too cold to use the propagated method of blasting described above low freezing farm or stumping powder is used in holes spread farther apart, often in large ditches as far as four or five feet. In this case each hole must be primed with an electric cap, as the explosive shock will not propagate in dry ground.

The cheapest lineal foot of small ditch is obtained by using the electric firing method and farm or stumping powder.



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The Ditch.

BLASTING DITCHES THROUGH SWAMP.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

Miscellaneous.

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

WANTED—Paper carrier. K. C. Star office, W. G. A. Edwards, agent 10-12*

WANTED—A cook. Middle aged woman preferred. Perrin Hall. 12-15

WANTED—Rag carpets and rag rugs to weave. Price 12c per yard. Mrs. Harold Ewing, 1321 East Third. 10-12*

WILL have car of Tarkio Champion Molasses feed on track Monday, Nov. 15. R. S. Braniger. 12-15

STRAYED—Brown collie dog. Finder notify Maynard Vert, Farmer's phone 9-13, Maryville. 9-11.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—6-room modern house, corner Vine and Fifth. Inquire J. D. Dickerson, Farmers phone 185. 6-tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Two second-hand wagons. Price very reasonable. W. W. Jones & Co. 11-13

FOR SALE—4 pure bred Poland-China male hogs. Immune from cholera. J. E. Wyatt, Mutual phone, Arkoe. 11-17

FOR SALE—New corn. Will deliver in five bushel lots or more. Farmers phone 219. 10-12*

FOR SALE—Poland-China sow, registered and immuned; also four gilts. Farmers phone 219. 10-12*

FOR SALE—Household goods. F. L. Flynt, 102 South Walnut. 10-12

FOR SALE—Shorthorn bulls. Martin Gross & Sons. 10-12.*

FOR SALE—Duroc-Jersey boars, Col. Wonder breeding, eligible to record. R. L. Hurst, Bolckow. Phone 327.

FOR SALE—Singer sewing machine, good as new. Call 14-22, Skidmore. 6-12*

FOR SALE OR RENT—Now empty 6-room house adjoining Normal grounds; 15 lots. J. T. Hayes, West Twelfth street. 25-tf

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, eligible to record. A. B. Dowden and Dale Partridge, route 3, Maryville. Farmers phone. 22-tf

FOR SALE—Wood of all kinds. Prices right. Saunders Bros., Hanamo 3698. 21tf.

FOR SALE—160 acres, 3½ miles north of Barnard, $125 an acre, well improved. A. N. Lieby, Barnard, Mo. 29-23

FOR SALE—A few registered spotted Poland-China spring boars. Good ones. All stock immune. Jos Jackson, Jr., Jos. Jackson, Sr. 5-12*

FOR SALE—280 acres choice improved farm land; 20 acres young timber, balance plow land and pasture. No bottom land. Two automobile trails pass the farm. Rural mail, telephone, abundance of well water pumped to barn by windmill. Large barn, eight-room house, tenant house and numerous outbuildings. This land has not been run down by poor farming. May be sold in two tracts or all in one. Address A. R. W., this paper. 4-tf d & w

FOR SALE—2 sets heavy single express harness. Townsend's, Fourth and Main streets, 10-12

Lost.

LOST—Black leather gauntlet glove for right hand, Grinnell make, flexible cuff. Return to this office. 10-12

LOST—Pocketbook containing three five-dollar bills and small change. Return to this office. 12-15*

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our beloved wife and mother, also for the beautiful floral offerings.—A. M. Hopper, C. E. Hopper and Wife, Lois Long, Gladys Hard.

Dead rats—use Rat Annihilator. Sold by Koch Pharmacy.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.